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MAIL SCHEDULES

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR
PARCEL MAILS FOR GREAT
BRITAIN

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office as follows:—

Steamer	Date of Closing Date due at Ldn.
Somali	5 p.m. Nov. 8 Dec. 15
Rawalpindi	5 p.m. Nov. 15 Dec. 19

The Hong Kong Postal Guide of 1935 is now on sale at the General Post Office and Central Post Office, Kowloon.

AIR MAIL

Imperial Airways via Singapore, Bangkok, Amsterdam via Singapore, Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon, Singapore-Australia.

Correspondence will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the Post Offices. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail" and be handed in at the Post Office.

PARCELS FOR CHINA

In future all parcels for China must be sealed before they can be accepted by the Post Office.

NEW YEAR PARCEL MAIL FOR
GREAT BRITAIN

The New Year Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at 5 p.m. on the 15th November per s.s. "Rawalpindi". The public are kindly requested to post early.

This Mail is due to arrive at London on the 19th December.

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT
RADIO TELEGRAPH SERVICE

"From the 13th day of November, 1935, and until further notice, the charges for Telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 1.10 to equal Gold Franc 100."

To commence with the issue of 12th November 1935 and to be continued for 4 days.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

Steamer	Date
Aeneas (Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service)	Nov. 12
Ranchi (Air Mail ex Amsterdam)	Nov. 14

FROM SHANGHAI

Steamer	Date
Pres. Jefferson	Nov. 15
Rawalpindi	Nov. 15
Hector	Nov. 19
Chenoweth	Nov. 19
Pres. Coolidge	Nov. 21
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 22

FROM MANILA

Steamer	Date
Pres. Grant	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 13
Atsuta Maru	Nov. 21

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Steamer	Date
Atsuta Maru (Air Mail ex Amsterdam)	Nov. 12
Talada	Nov. 12
Aeneas	Nov. 12
Ranchi	Nov. 14
Kamsang	Nov. 15
Persus	Nov. 15
Prometheus	Nov. 18
Van Heutz	Nov. 19
Nagato Maru	Nov. 20

FROM U.S.A.

Steamer	Date
Pres. Jefferson	Nov. 15
Pres. Coolidge	Nov. 21
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 22

FROM JAPAN

Steamer	Date
Penang Maru	Nov. 14
Noto Maru	Nov. 15
Pres. Jefferson	Nov. 15
Rawalpindi	Nov. 15
Pres. Coolidge	Nov. 21
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 22

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE

Steamer	Date
Pres. Grant (via Victoria)	Nov. 12
Closes: Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.	
Emp. of Asia (via Vancouver)	Nov. 14
Closes: Reg. 3.15 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.	
Ranchi (via Siberia)	Nov. 15
Rawalpindi (via Marseilles)	Nov. 15
Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.	
D'Artagnan (via Siberia)	Nov. 16

COMFORT IN THE
TROPICSRelief From Heat
And BitesSIMPLE REMEDIES ARE
OFTEN BEST

Prickly heat is both an irritating and persistent complaint, but relief may be obtained almost immediately by applying eau de Cologne to the affected parts after the bath, and if this is done daily, a complete cure will eventually result. Methylated spirit is more economical and quite an effective substitute, but it has an unpleasant smell.

As this treatment is usually a little too drastic for the tender skin of children, a solution of one teaspoonful of bicarbonate of soda to one pint of boiling water, should be made for them and this should be kept in a bottle for use as required.

FIGHTING INSECTS

Mosquitoes and sandflies are always with us, more or less, but here are a few ways of keeping them at bay. Use carbolic soap in your bath, should insects have a liking for you and, if the bruised outer skin of a lime or lemon is rubbed lightly on the legs and elbows, this will form an extra protection.

A solution made of one ounce of epsom salts to one pint of water, if applied to the legs or arms, and allowed to dry, will also keep insects away, whilst peroxide of hydrogen is effective in the same way, when it is patted on to the skin.

FOR SHANGHAI

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Taiyo Maru	Nov. 12
Pres. Grant	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 14
Ranchi	Nov. 15
D'Artagnan	Nov. 16

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Steamer	Date
Rawalpindi	Nov. 15

FOR JAPAN

Steamer	Date
Taiyo Maru	Nov. 12
Pres. Grant	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 13
D'Artagnan	Nov. 16

FOR MANILA

Steamer	Date
Pres. Grant	Nov. 12
Taiyo Maru	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 13
D'Artagnan	Nov. 16

FOR AUSTRALIA

Steamer	Date
Taiyo Maru	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 13
D'Artagnan	Nov. 16

FOR U.S.A.

Steamer	Date
Taiyo Maru	Nov. 12
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 13
D'Artagnan	Nov. 16

VIA SIBERIA—Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given above unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

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SPORT NOTICES

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THE TWELFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 16th November, 1935, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

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C. B. BROWN,
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Hong Kong, 11th Nov., 1935.

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ISLAND

	Feet
Victoria Peak	1,823
Signal Station	1,774
Mt. Parker	1,734
Mountain Lodge	1,725
The Eyrie	1,725
Peak Hotel	1,305
Taifoo Sanatorium	1,000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (afterbeds)	297

MAINLAND

	Feet
Taimoshan	2,124
Kowloon Peak	1,971

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Public Auctions

THE undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on Wednesday, the 13th Nov., 1935, commencing at 10.30 a.m. at No. 2, Observatory Villas, Kowloon.

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

On View from Tuesday the 12th November, 1935.

Terms: Cash on Delivery

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, 8th November, 1935

THE undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on Wednesday the 13th Nov. 1935, commencing at 2.30 p.m. at their Sales Room, Duddell St.

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BRIDGE NOTES

ACE V. KING-QUEEN

By Ely Calbertson

A count of the honour-tricks in a hand will furnish an accurate estimate of the hand's general strength in an overwhelming majority of cases; but even while counting his honour-tricks a player should keep in mind one factor which has an important effect on the count of honour-tricks.

It will be noticed that an Ace is valued as one honour-trick; also, K Q x is valued as one honour-trick. As defensive winners—that is, as expected trick-winners—against the opponents' trump contract—their value is about the same. But when playing a hand at notrump, the Ace will win only one trick, whereas the K Q x combination will often win two tricks, and will always win one trick.

When holding the 4-3-3-3 distribution which makes an opening notrump bid desirable, a player should count his honour-tricks to see if he has the necessary four. If he has four honour-tricks (and no more than five honour-tricks) in three suits, he should bid one notrump. Even if he has less than four honour-tricks, he should count his honour-cards (ten-spot or higher). With as many as eight honour-cards, an opening bid of one notrump is still proper, even though holding as few as three and one-half honour-tricks.

A count of his honour-cards showed the North player in the deal below that his hand justified an opening bid of one notrump, even though it contained only three and one-half honour-tricks. Having eight honour-cards, he was correct in considering the strength of his hand equivalent to that of most four-honour-trick hands.

East Dealer
East-West vulnerable

North:—
S—A J 6
H—K J 2
D—Q J 10
C—A 6 4 2

West:—
S—K 8 4
H—10 9 5
D—A 6 2
C—Q J 9 3

East:—
S—Q 10 9 5 3
H—A 6
D—K 9 4
C—10 7 5

South:—
S—7 2
H—Q 8 7 4 3
D—8 7 5 3
C—K 8

The bidding:—
East South West North
Pass Pass Pass INT(1)
Pass 2H(2) Pass Pass(3)
Pass

1—3½ honour-tricks with eight honour-cards are the same as 4 bare honour-tricks.

2—A suit response of only two shows a five-card suit, but denies the 1½ honour-tricks which would justify a raise.

3—North's hand is a minimum notrump; therefore, despite his strong support for hearts, he passes.

South made his two-heart contract with one overtrick, losing only four tricks—one in hearts, two in diamonds, and one in spades. Had the diamond suit not been divided 3-4, he could have made only two odd, which would still have been the best contract.

At other tables the bidding was somewhat different. One or two North players opened the bidding on the over-asked club suit; South responded with one heart, and then when North bid one notrump South passed. In other cases, South passed one notrump.

Where one notrump was the final contract, East usually made the correct lead of the spade ten from the intermediate sequence. West's King forced North's Ace out. Now an attempt was made to establish the heart suit, but East took the ace, put West in with the diamond Ace, and when West led a spade through the Jack North lost four spade tricks, the Ace of hearts and the Ace and King of diamonds, being set back.

When East did not shift to

POPULARISING THE
SOLDIER'S LIFECatching Them Young
In Czechoslovakia

Prague. School-children in Czechoslovakia are now allowed to spend the whole day, in groups, with the soldiers in barracks, by agreement between the Ministries of Education and National Defence.

The idea is to increase their patriotic pride in their army and to give the boys an impression of the life they will lead when they come up for their compulsory military training.

Whatever is not of a necessarily secret nature is open to the children's inspection and they are encouraged to ask questions. They learn the different bugle calls and some of the words of command.

Reuter.

MEDALS FOR GOOD
TAXI-DRIVERSTurkey's Awards For
Care And Prudence

Istanbul. The Turks have thought of a new way of fighting road deaths. Special badges bearing the inscription "Homage to Prudence and Care" are in future to be presented to careful taxi-drivers by the Municipality here.

Only drivers who have had no accident for 10 years will be eligible.

The badges will be placed on the taxi radiators. Directly a driver has an accident, he will forfeit his badge.

Reuter.

POLICE RESERVE

Orders For The Current
Week

Orders by Mr. D. Burlingham, Inspector General of Police.

Winter Uniform
Members of the Chinese, Indian, Flying Squad and Emergency Unit Reserve are warned that Winter Uniform will soon be taken into wear by Police Reservists.

Those who are not in possession of same will apply to their respective Equipment Officers.

Chinese Company

Training Course—Part II. All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed Part II of Training Course will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, November 12th at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Indian Company

1st Aid Classes.—All members taking this course will report at the Indian Company Headquarters on Tuesday, and Thursday 12th and 14th November, 1935, at 18.30 hours for instruction.

Emergency Unit Reserve

Strength.—Constable R25 Donald Moy Toy has been taken on the Strength of the Emergency Unit Reserve as from 6th November, 1935.

D. L. KING,
D. S. P. (K)
Hong Kong, Monday, November 11, 1935.

diagnosed (which was a very difficult task to make, it indeed was correct at all) "Mach" made one notrump, which was even then less good than the result in hearts.

Amusements
Cinema Notes"AGAINST THE LAW"
ALHAMBRA THEATRE

"Against the Law" is a thrilling, dramatic screenfare of a type woefully lacking on our entertainment menu. Far removed from the subtle drawing room comedy, the marvellous sentimental drama or the innuendo of sophisticated farce, this new Columbia action-drama presents red-blooded adventure whole-somely tinged with romance, real comedy and an abundance of thrills.

In its delineation the film relates the tale of a young interne, dominated by a gang of ruffians and forced to perform illicit operations on run-battle casualties, who is ultimately driven to suicide in a vain effort to clear his name.

Johnny Mack Brown, ambulance driver and friend of George Meeker, the unfortunate interne, vows to avenge the boy's death. After a series of exciting episodes involving auto chases, fist fights and nerve-racking gun battles, a breath-taking surprise climax brings victory and romance to the fighting hero.

"WOMAN WANTED"—KING'S
THEATRE

In "Woman Wanted" Maureen O'Sullivan plays a girl wrongly convicted of murder, who escapes from custody and with Joel McCrea, who plays a young attorney, succeeds in dodging the police and at the same time turning over to them the real killer.

An elaborate cast surrounds the two principals. Adrienne Ames, Lewis Stone, Edgar Kennedy, Louis Calhern, William B. Davidson and Grandville Bates.

Dramatic highlights include the jury verdict, the heroine's sensational escape in the wreck, the flight from the deserted farmhouse used by the racketeers, the kidnapping of the girl from the backhouse, the tracing of the gang to their hideout and the battle between criminals and river police. Many comedy sequences enliven the action, and a romantic love story is told amid the thrills and excitement.

"THE DEVIL IS A WOMAN"—
QUEEN'S THEATRE

An unusual type of story is provided in Director Van Sternberg's latest, "The Devil Is A Woman." It concerns the meeting between Cesar Romero and the enigmatically beautiful Marlene Dietrich. She gives him a smile of invitation and the friendship continues to develop from that point.

Later he meets an old friend, Lionel Atwill, who unfolds a tale of his unhappy past in which Marlene plays the part of a soulless woman for ever extracting money and giving nothing in return.

Atwill reveals that he is still in love with the woman, whatever her faults, and their rivalry eventually leads to a duel between them. A happy ending, however, follows.

"PUBLIC HERO NUMBER ONE"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

Dramatic details of the American Secret Service in its war on organized crime: the heroism of the Federal men in their perilous work, and the trailing of a public enemy in a story based on actual facts and cases, are the thrills of "Public Hero Number One."

A drama immortalizing the un-

UNKNOWN PICTURE
BY GOYA?Spanish Palace
Discovery

Madrid. A picture attributed to the famous nineteenth century painter, Francisco Goya, has been discovered near Madrid. It was found in the ironing room of the Duke of Alba's former palace in Arranjuez.

A citizen of Arranjuez, Don Angel Olivares, who is also a noted artist, has adjudged the painting to be of great artistic merit and probably an unknown work of Goya's.

The picture is approximately 12 feet square. It is carried out in diabolical and represents a life-size figure similar to Goya's famous "Maja."

NEW DEFINITION
OF "NEWS"Pedestrian "Runs
Over" Car

A pedestrian has "run over" and "severely injured" a motor car in Paris, Ontario.

During a rain storm, his coat collar up and head down, he ran full pelt into a moving car.

The side of the car was badly dented and a window was broken. The pedestrian was unhurt.

BRITISH DOG FILM-STAR

British films now have their own dog star. His name is Scruffy and he is a mongrel. He cost his master 7s. 6d. at the Dogs Home. Scruffy has just signed a film contract for four weeks' work at 30 guineas a week. He is to be the hero's dog pal in a gipsy-life film, "Blue Smoke," to be made by Fox-British at Wembley.

known soldiers of peace in their relentless war against organized criminals, the "story" is, aside from being breathless entertainment, an eye opener to the public, showing intimately what goes on daily in the struggle on the side of the law.

Chester Morris, Joseph Calleia, Lionel Barrymore and Jean Arthur are the principal characters.

"THE FIRST WORLD WAR"—
STAR THEATRE

Here, before your eyes, is the biggest story that "Pate" ever wrote. Watching it unfold, one has the sense that its every scene is a living newspaper headline; for every incident is a drama which helped to write world history.

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"ADORABLE"—MAJESTIC
THEATRE

Janet Gaynor has one of the most delightful parts of her career in "Adorable," which is showing at the Majestic Theatre to-day.

The story is somewhat reminiscent of Miss Gaynor's earlier pictures. She is given an opportunity to sing and dance, and her rendition of the theme song, "Adorable," is especially pleasing.

RADIO

TODAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s)

VARIETY CONCERT FROM THE
STUDIO

Two Studio Talks
12.30-2.10 p.m.—European Programme
12.30 p.m.—Recorded Music
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report
1.10-1.30 p.m.—An Account of the morning's play and running commentary on the last quarter of an hour of the afternoon's play in the Interport Cricket Match between Hong Kong and Shanghai, from the Hong Kong Cricket Club Ground.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.
1.40 p.m.—(Approx.)—A Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.
2.10 p.m.—Close Down.
2.15 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
2.15 p.m.—A Pianoforte Recital by Arthur de Greef.
1. Fennie PABUM; Papillon (Grieg).
2. Archer; To the Spring (Grieg).
2.15-2.25 p.m.—From the Studio.
The end of a series of "Educational Talks" by Uncle Mac.
2.25-2.30 p.m.—"Erie Coast Melody" played by Sydney Gussard (Organ).
2.30-2.40 p.m.—From the Studio.
A General talk on the day's Interport Cricket by E. Abbott.
2.50-3 p.m.—C. B. Cochran Presents.
3 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report; Closing Local Stock Quotations.
3.05-3.15 p.m.—"Old Times."
3.15-3.30 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Violin Recital by Comodo de la Cruz accompanied by Nura Kania.
3.30-3.45 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
Autumn (Chaminade)
Tranquilo (Wagner)
Fantasia on Scottish Airs (M. Molder)
Jolly on the Mountains Waits (Petras)
Vietnamese Singing Birds—Waltz (Tranquilo)
The Valley of the People (Ancliffe)
A Birthday Serenade (Lock)
3.45-3.55 p.m.—A Relay of the Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter).
3.15-3.19 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Variety Concert
by
The Rev. Cyril Brown, Doreen Ma. Andrey Steel, G. F. Aquino, Nemesio Tioce.
10 p.m.—Re. Re. Reuter Press Bulletins.
10.15-10.45 p.m.—Dance Music.
10.45-11 p.m.—A Relay from Davenport.
"Under the Sun" by Howard Marshall.
11 p.m.—Close Down.

FAMOUS PARTNERS
SEPARATE

Negretti And Zambra No Longer

Mr. Marcus William Zambra has retired from the firm of Negretti and Zambra. This ending of a world-famous partnership was announced last month when notice was given that Mr. Zambra would retire from partnership, and that from October 1 the firm would be carried on by Mr. Henry Noel Negretti and Mr. Paul Ernest Negretti.

Messrs. Negretti and Zambra have for many years carried on business in London, as scientific instrument manufacturers. Their record of scientific instruments have earned the title of the firm of all parts of the world.



Sporting Page



HONG KONG BATTING ORDER SHOULD HAVE BEEN CHANGED



Selleck, above, played a very fine game for the Sappers in the Second Division of the local soccer league on Saturday.

H.K. "TAIL" WAGS

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REALLY GOOD BATTING
In carrying his overnight score of 8 to 42 Ricketts played really good cricket. He showed that he was not overawed by the occasion when in Jenkins' second over he hit a six into the Supreme Court. This signalled the return of Pat Madar to the attack, but though he dismissed Dunkley, who had played a very painstaking innings, Ricketts refused to be trapped by the slow bowler and shielded Pereira in masterly style—on one occasion Leach ordered Stokes to allow a ball to go to the boundary in order to have Pereira up against Pat Madar! The move threw away three runs as Pereira left his crease for the first ball and, getting it full toss, scored a single.

Leach did everything he could to keep Ricketts away from the bowling, but, despite his own accurate length, Ricketts' long reach foiled him time and again with the important sixth ball.

68 FOR LAST TWO WICKETS
Ricketts and Dunkley, who had added 7 runs overnight, were responsible for the score being raised to 106—a partnership of 29—and then Ricketts and Pereira who played a very subdued innings in order to give Ricketts the bowling, added 39 for the last wicket before Ricketts was bowled by one that came across sharply from the leg stump to take his middle and off pegs.

The last two wickets added 68 runs in 57 minutes.

Hitting a six and five boundaries in his 42, scored out of 81 in 74 minutes, Ricketts played his best innings to date and gave Hong Kong a sporting chance of victory after yesterday's debacle. Leach again bowled well this morning, but not with the same "fire" as he did yesterday afternoon. He made a very doubtful move when he brought Pat Madar on at the Supreme Court end. Though he had Dunkley in two minds once or twice, Ricketts treated him with scant respect. Madar's wicket cost 26 valuable runs.

SHANGHAI FIELDING FALTERS
The Shanghai fielding was not as accurate as it was yesterday, and the short runs attempted by Ricketts and Pereira did not help matters.

Garthwaite again opened the Colony attack, but was soon replaced by Minu. Both Stokes and Booth, however, appeared very confident and gave no semblance of a chance. Stokes, however, received a nasty crack just above the knee from Pereira, but resumed after several minutes. Two balls later Booth took a nasty wrap on the fingers from Pereira, who was getting up awkwardly.

The outfield, which was slow at the commencement, gradually became faster as play proceeded.

K.C.C. TEAM VS SHANGHAI

The following will represent the Kowloon Cricket Club against Shanghai at the K.C.C. tomorrow, commencing at 10.30 a.m.:
E. C. Fincher, A. T. Lay, E. P. Fincher, N. A. Mackay, W. C.

THRILLING SOCCER WIN FOR H.K.F.A.

STRANGE & ROBERTSON IN LIMELIGHT

BRILLIANT SERVICES' ATTACK

A THRILLING soccer game was witnessed on the Club ground yesterday when the annual charity match in aid of Earl Haig's Poppy Day Fund was held, the Hong Kong Football Association beating the Combined Services by 5 goals to 3, four of which were scored in the first five minutes!

The Services enjoyed most of the play and full marks must go to the Association's defence, which underwent a strenuous time, especially in the earlier stages of the second half when, with Strange off the field as a result of a minor head injury, and Gough and Eastman very badly off form, the defence held out with one exception, when Baldry scored.

Syd Strange played a grand game and, together with Robertson, shared the honours in defence. The latter was brilliant and nothing can prevent him from obtaining a place in the Inter-port trials early next year. Robertson is, however, certain to skipper the Club rugby side against Shanghai, which is a pity, as he is certainly worthy of a soccer "cap."

Among the many distinguished guests present were Major-General Thackeray, G.O.C., and Mrs. Thackeray, Mr. T. A. Mitchell and Comdr. T. A. Hussey, R.N., Vice-Presidents of the Hong Kong Football Association, Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., Chairman of the Council, and Mr. M. L. Raitton, Hon. Secretary of the Association.

The gate receipts for the match were approximately \$1,350.

Wong Wing, in the Association goal, made a shaky start, but was very good in the second half.

Pivot Very Weak

Lee Tin-sang was evidently feeling the strain of Saturday's strenuous encounter against the Club and did not show up in his true colours until well into the second half. The Association failed badly in their intermediate line, Gough being extremely poor in his spilling, marking and distribution, while Eastman's display barely reached Second Division standard.

Tam Kong-pak, who took Fung King-cheung's place at inside-right, did not reveal his best form and, with a few exceptions, was never really a menace to the Services' defence. Bertie Gosano, on the other hand, changed places with Tam in the second half, and gave a brilliant display, scoring two very good goals.

Too Strenuous

Lee Wai-tung gave another good performance, although he looked tired and confessed afterwards to me that the strain of two big matches within a day of each other was too much for him.

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EAST LANC. RUGBY WIN OVER MEDICALS

In a friendly rugby match played on the new military ground at Prince Edward Road yesterday the East Lancashire Regiment beat the Royal Army Medical Corps by five tries (15 points) to nil. Evans (3), North and Fitzgerald scored for the winners.

TENNIS \$1,000 FOR JUBILEE FUND

Rain greatly reduced the takings at the gate on the second day of the Wimbledon lawn tennis championships, set aside for the King's Jubilee Trust Fund, and the L.T.A. have decided to make up the amount to \$1,000, as a joint contribution from the L.T.A. and the All-England Club.

Hung, R. Lee, G. C. Burnett, F. A. Munn, S. V. Gittins, F. Goodwin (captain), and F. S. W. Smith.



Sam Kermani played a polished innings for Shanghai yesterday.

McCORKINDALE RETIRES

Severe Thrashing At Hands Of Obie Walker

London, To-day.

Obie Walker, the American Negro, last night outpointed Don McCorkindale, the South African heavyweight boxing champion. The loser, who was severely battered, later announced his retirement from the ring—Reuter.

Obie Walker, who has had several fights in England was recently beaten by Larry Gains, the Canadian Negro, for the "black" heavyweight championship of the world, at Wembley.

Don McCorkindale came to England with the intention of wrestling the British Empire heavyweight championship from Jack Peterson, but was badly trounced.

FANLING GOLF

Mackenzie Wins Bogey (Par) Pool

W. J. E. Mackenzie (18), with a card of one up, won the Bogey (Par) Pool over the Old Course at Fanling during Sunday and Monday.

Other scores were T. A. Pearce (15) 2 down and J. G. Campbell (15) 2 down. There were 42 entries.

FRED PERRY TO PLAY IN SYDNEY

To Vie For Championship Honours

Sydney, November 1.

Arrangements are being made here for the scheduled arrival here on Monday of Fred Perry, the English tennis star, who plans to participate in the Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria tennis championships.

Perry, according to plans announced here, also will play in the Australian championships in January, and will then leave for South Africa. Miss Joan Hartigan, the Australian player who defeated Mrs. Dorothy Boudart at Wimbledon, is also due on Monday—Associated Press.

Jim Ferrier Establishes World Record For Golf

Sydney, October 14.—Jim Ferrier, Australia's 20-year-old golfing prodigy from Shanghai, won the New South Wales club championship at Sydney on Saturday (says Reuter) with a score of 266 for 72 holes.

His rounds were 67, 65, 70 and 64, and his aggregate 16 strokes better than that of D. Spence, the runner-up.

Long hitting and deadly short game enabled Ferrier to accomplish a phenomenal score which

INSPIRED BOWLING BY LEACH

JENKINS GIVES SKIPPER GRAND SUPPORT

POLISHED INNINGS BY KERMANI AT CRITICAL STAGE

HAD Tom Hayward changed his batting order considerably better than only 117 runs ahead with two wickets in hand. It certainly could have been no worse. When Alec Pearce was dismissed after scoring 14 in 55 minutes Minu or Pereira should have been sacrificed in an effort to knock Leach and Jenkins off their length. As it was, however, the first innings order was retained and Garthwaite, Hayward, Perse and Minu, all of whom could have been looked to for runs to-day, fell one after the other trying to play two inspired bowlers. A hitter might have had that demoralising effect which might have seen 20 or 30 valuable runs added. It was certainly a move that should have been tried, despite Shanghai's failure in the same position.

Early yesterday morning the odds were definitely in favour of Hong Kong winning, and when five Shanghai wickets fell for only 103 runs the prospects were even rosier. Kermani, the visitors' wicket-keeper, however, defied the Colony's well varied attack for nearly three hours, and his 86 out of 127 in 163 minutes was largely responsible for Shanghai creeping to within 33 runs of the Colony total, a feat hardly expected first thing yesterday morning.

Kermani played a polished innings, hitting 14 boundaries as the result of brilliant hook shots and forcing forward play. Never giving a chance, he saved Shanghai from a bad collapse, sneaking the bowling whenever his partner looked uncomfortable. He was ninth out—to a very fine running catch at cover by Alec Pearce when attempting to force the pace after a valuable stand with Harry Madar.

Pereira At His Best

Pereira bowled really well after lunch—all his three victims were clean bowled. He might have been retained at the Naval Yard end during the ninth wicket stand—Alec Pearce's first over was an expensive one at a vital period, and Madar did not look at all comfortable against Pereira.

Minu showed a glimpse of his old form, not bowling as fast as he has been doing lately and keeping a perfect length. He deserved his four wickets. Ricketts had the batsmen puzzled, but was beating both the bat and the wicket. (Continued on Page 5.)

INTER-SCHOOL CRICKET

C.B.S. Defeat D.B.S.

In a friendly cricket match the Central British School beat the Diocesan Boys' School by 13 runs. C. B. S.—88 (Stret 27, Booker 12 and Broadbridge 4 for 14). D. B. S.—75 (Dudley 22, Prata 12 and Baxter 6 for 22).

D.B.S. WIN FRIENDLY CRICKET MATCH

East Lanes Lose By 83 Runs

The Diocesan Boys' School were at home to the East Lancashire Regt. in a friendly cricket match yesterday and won by 83 runs. D.B.S.—160 for 7 wickets dec. (R. Broadbridge 58, F. Lay 52, C. S. M. Elvin 5 for 45). East Lancashire—77 (Goldworthy 19, Matthews 4 for 17, Rev. C. E. L. Sargent 4 for 24).



L. F. Stokes, Shanghai's opening batsman, who felled brilliantly yesterday.

SOUTH CHINA HOLD SPORTS MEET

Two Records Broken By Same Man

MRS. BURLINGHAM PRESENTS THE PRIZES

Two records went by the board at the annual sports of the South China Athletic Association, which were held at Caroline Hill yesterday afternoon before a large crowd, including Mr. and Mrs. D. Burlingham.

With a throw of 27.73 metres, Chai Hoi-chen broke the record for throwing the discus, while later on the same athlete broke the record for javelin throwing by tossing it 43.21 metres.

At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan, the President of Association, commented on the success of the afternoon, before calling upon Mrs. Burlingham to distribute the prizes.

Men's Hop Step and Jump:—Yu Kai-yan, Yung Kai-kong. Distance, 12.15.

Men's Throwing The Discus:—Chai Hoi-chen, Lau Ming-sai, Kwok Tak-hing. Distance, 27.73. (Record).

Men's Putting The Shot:—Chan Hoi-chen, Wah Kai, Lau Ming-sai. Distance, 9.62.

Pole Jump:—Tung Wai-choi, Tsin Yui-chen. Height, 2.8.

High Jump:—Sun Ching-kin, Lau Wing-kin, Ho Kam-kong. Height, 1.7.

Javelin Throwing:—Chan Hoi-chen, Cheong Shi-wim, Lau Ming-sai. Distance, 43.21. (Record).

Long Jump:—Yu Kai-yan, Wong Sik-hon, Tung Ki-long. Distance, 6.33.

100 Metres Championship:—Chan Wing-kin, Yuen Yui-kuen, Leung Yam-tung. 11.5 sec.

150 Metres Championship:—Hoi Tse-choi, Leung Kam-hing, Leung Kam-to. 20.1 sec.

200 Metres Championship:—Yun Chow-keen, Lai Wah-tai, Li Pui-sun. Time, 26 sec.

110 Metres (High Hurdles):—Lo Kam-tong, Chan Kai, Sui Ching-kin. Time, 32.2 sec.

400 Metres (Medium Hurdles):—Yung Yui-hung, Chan Kai, Lo Kam-tung. Time, 1.32 sec.

300 Metres Championship:—Leung Kam-to, Cheung Chin-fun, Chan Chien-kit. Time, 2 mins, 24.4 sec.

1,500 Metres Championship:—Yung Wah-sang, Leung Sik-to, Cheung Chan-fan. Time, 5 mins, 34 sec.

10,000 Metres Championship:—Yung Wah-sang, Mok Ho-kin, Chan Wai. Time, 39 mins, 31.5 sec.

200 Metres Relay Race:—Chui Kwong Athletic, East Lancashire Regiment, St. Joseph's College.

Ladies Events

50 Metres Championship:—Yung Wah-poon, Lo Man-so, Mak Yen-sang. Time, 7.8 sec.

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LIGHT BLUES RUGBY WIN OVER EDINBURGH ACADE

London, To-day.—In a friendly rugby match played yesterday, Cambridge University beat Edinburgh Academicals by 10 points to 3 at home. Reuter.

MEDWAY BEATEN AT MACAO

The Medway Lower Deck hockey team paid a visit to Macao on Sunday afternoon when they were defeated in a friendly match by the Macao Hockey Club by 3 goals to nil.

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THRILLING SOCCER
WIN FOR H.K.F.A.

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The wingers were disappointing in a way. Through no fault of his, Bickford was starved for a greater portion of the game, while Tso Kwai-shing, with the exception of a few stray attempts, was completely out of the picture. The Services gave a very fine all-round performance, although there were one or two men who were evidently suffering from an off-day, Rowlands being one of them.

Wolverson Shines

Wolverson, of the Navy, was the pick of the two backs, Swain being inclined to kick-and-rush methods which was just what Lee and his men expected and took advantage of.

The halves played a very fine game, particularly Clarkson, on the right, who, following his poor display against South China a fortnight ago, completely dominated play in his little area and had Bertie Gosano completely bottled up in the opening half. His distribution was good, and he tackled resolutely and without danger to his charge.

Lawton, in the pivotal position, had the misfortune to head the ball into his own net, although if he had not touched it, it still would have been a goal, as Rowlands was at the other end when Tso Kwai-shing centred. Bowers, on the left-flank, played his best game to date, and dazzled the large throng of spectators with several hair-raising attempts to score, one of his shots just being pushed outside the bar by Wong Wing.

Brilliant Forwards

The Services' forwards, particularly Rose, at inside-right, and Ridley and Baldry, the left-wing combination, were brilliant, and constituted the main source of anxiety to the Association's defence. Rose was inclined to be slightly selfish at times, but he made openings which Higgins failed to make use of.

Ridley was very fast of the



mark and his two goals inside of five minutes speaks volumes for him. Baldry centred beautifully and his goal was a perfect exhibition of timing and accuracy, Wong Wing being beaten from the moment it left his foot.

Gint Of Goals

The game started off at a very fast pace, Ridley opening the score sensationally within the first minute after a combined movement. Not long after, however, the Association forwards swung the ball about between themselves, Robertson sending Tso away and the right-winger flashing across a perfect centre which Lawton helped into the net by attempting to head out.

But more thrills were to come as Ridley raced away and, following a short passing bout with Higgins and Baldry, again sent the Services ahead with a grounder. The Association, however, were not to be robbed of their share of the limelight and Lee Wai-tong equalised with a brilliant shot placed just inside the left-upright out of Rowlands' reach.

The Services continued to press and Rose missed a "sitter" when Ridley headed over Lee Tin-sang's head. Just before the interval one of the best movements of the game culminated in Lee Wai-tong giving the Association the lead for the first time. A centre from Tso was crashed against the cross-bar by Bickford and from the rebound Lee breasted the ball into the net.

Strange Injured

The second half was full of thrills and incidents, B. Gosano scoring cleverly off his left-foot from the right, veering round at the last moment to put Rowlands off the shot. Not long after Syd Strange's head came into contact with Higgins' knee and he left the field, badly dazed. He returned amidst applause.

The Services depressed their

NEW ZEALAND TEAM
IS WORRIEDNOT PLAYING UP TO
USUAL FORM

VERY SPECTACULAR... BUT!

(By J. P. Jordan)

London, October 15.

THE New Zealanders are very disappointed with the form they have been showing in recent matches, particularly those at Newcastle and Hawick, where their opponents scored try for try with them and lost through a dropped and a penalty goal respectively.

Lack of condition accounted for their not being able to get going in early matches, but that cannot be the reason now for not playing up to home reputation.

The repeated failure of their forwards in the scrums is worrying them, and unless a big improvement is quickly shown Mr. V. R. Meredith, their manager, may decide to adopt the British 3-2-3 scrum formation.

They have won seven matches out of eight. But they are not so much concerned about winning as about playing tip-top football.

Forwards' Problem

In this they have succeeded only up to a point. Some of their combined movements have been brilliantly spectacular, but in many phases, particularly at forward, they have not yet attained the standard of Porter's and Gallaher's teams.

British forward play, all round, is better than it was, though not up to the pitch it reached in the heyday of Wakefield, Joyce, Blakiston, and Conway.

In face of that, the only conclusion is that the New Zealand forwards are not a patch on their predecessors, and our county and Border forwards, not to mention Swansea's, have gained the upper hand.

Funky Packing

High packing and an inability or unwillingness to shove have been the New Zealand pack's chief faults, as vouched for by one booker who continually beat them for the ball. "I found it easy to get under them," he remarked, "and the rest was simple."

It will be interesting to see what happens to-morrow when Edinburgh and Glasgow, who more closely approximate an international team than any the New Zealanders have met, take the field.

If the Cities' pack are as good as the South of Scotland eight, then their backs, who include the best pair of halves in the four countries—R. W. Shaw and W. R. Logan—and J. E. Forrest and W. C. W. Murdoch in the three-quarter line, should carry the day.

THOUSANDS OF
RUNSNewman Has A Good
Season

(By GEOFFREY SIMPSON)

London, October 8.

C. W. Newman, who is 44 years old, has just completed a season of club cricket in which he hit the colossal total of 4,032 runs.

For this the Alexandra Park batsman averaged 71, and he made 13 centuries—two of them double ones.

This is believed to be a world record for cricket.

Newman is an amazing cricketer, who long ago convinced bowlers that the "too old at forty" theory is just moonshine. So far in his career he has clouted them for 44,000 runs and 155 centuries—and according to Newman he is "seeing" the ball as well at 44 as he did at 22.

ALL BLACK PLAYER UNFIT

London, October 11.—C. J. Oliver, the vice-captain and centre-three-quarter, is the latest casualty among the All Blacks. For some time he has been suffering from a strained leg muscle, and in the recent match at Newcastle he suffered from a heavy cold and played far below his best form. He is not expected to be out of the game for long.

arrivals, through Baldry, who crashed the ball into the roof of the net from 20 yards, following a centre from Barker.

Just before the end Bertie Gosano left the Services' defence standing when he went through from the halfway line to round off his effort with a goal. Rowlands fumbling the shot.

H.K.F.A.—Wong Wing, Lee Tin-sang and S. H. Strange; L. G. Robertson, G. H. Gough and Eastman; Tso Kwai-shing, Tam Kong-pak, Lee Wai-tong, B. Gosano and B. I. Bickford.

Combined Services: W. Rowlands, G. Swain and J. T. Wolverson; Clarkson, and P. Bower; Barker, S. F. Rose, J. W. Higgins, R. Ridley, and A. Baldry.



"Darkie" Chan, above, will not be seen in local soccer for some time as he will be permanently stationed in Shanghai from now onwards.

INSPIRED BOWLING
BY LEACH

(Continued from Page 4)

The one that was responsible for Leach's downfall went away very quickly. Garthwaite failed to find a length during his three overs, and Alec Pearce did not appear to cause the batsmen any undue anxiety.

Local Fielding Good

The Honor Knox fielding was very sound, Teddy Fincher excelling at silly point and in the gully, and Ricketts and Alec Pearce being very safe with their hands. Ricketts brought off a very fine catch at first slip to dismiss Jenkins off Pearce's bowling, throwing himself to the left to bring off a spectacular two-handed catch.

After Teddy Fincher had been hit by one that cocked and had been caught off a mis-hit with the next ball, Hong Kong, who started the second innings with a lead of 38 runs, were with their backs to the wall. Leach, who relieved Elliott after the latter had bowled four overs at the Naval Yard end, bowled seven consecutive maidens, five of which were to Alec Pearce, who was barracked for his slow display—at one period he had batted for half an hour without scoring. At the other end Jenkins, who was relieved for only one over, also kept an immaculate length and was turning the ball appreciably.

22 Runs in 55 Minutes

The Pearce partnership—the first instance in the annals of Interport cricket that father and son have been associated in a stand—had realised 22 runs in 55 minutes when Tam hit across a leg spinner from Leach and was clean bowled for 25, scored out of 48 in 80 minutes. Five runs later Alec Pearce, who had played four cricket, fell a victim to Leach's wrong 'un and failed to survive a confident appeal 53-3-14.

Garthwaite opened a brimful of confidence, but was bowled by a half volley which he attempted to hit with a cross bat. The Hong Kong batting then presented a pitiful sight, four wickets falling in 21 minutes for only 28 runs. Madar was well caught in Jenkins' leg trap, Hayward fell to a beauty from Leach that came in from leg very sharply, Pearce was an lb.w. victim (he was so ashamed that he went out by the Clatter Road entrance!), and Minu was bowled by one that he attempted to play.

Minu had not much hope of scoring quickly when he went in. Both Leach and Jenkins were at the top of their form. He would have been of more use three wickets earlier.

Dunkley Dropped

Shanghai were unlucky not to secure another wicket before the close of play, Dunkley being dropped by Kernani off Jenkins in a thrilling last over. Incidentally, the last over was started on the stroke of five, the time for drawing of stumps!

If there was any doubt on Saturday regarding the question of whether Leach over-bowled himself, this was discounted yesterday when he secured 5 for 24 in 17 overs! It was good bowling, and no one could complain about the wicket, which played surprisingly true.

Leach and Kernani have pulled the game out of the fire and in doing so have been nobly assisted by Jenkins and keen fielding—Stokes, Booth and Harry Mader again gave fine exhibitions in the field.

When play is resumed to-day at 11 a.m. Shanghai will be in a very sound position, providing they are not set more than

INTERPORT RIFLE
CONTESTINTERESTING FACTS
COME TO LIGHT

SINGAPORE'S DISTINCTION

(By "Leighton")

Singapore, November 1.

LAST year Singapore totalled 954 in the Inter-Port shoot against Hong Kong and Shanghai and had to be content with second place Shanghai putting up a total of 965. Hong Kong got 888.

This year we expected to do better but ended up with a score of 939 and our chances of winning the shield are extremely remote. It is now over 20 years since Singapore last won the Inter-Port trophy.

Our score in the Overseas, 303 Full Range Postal Match organised by the National Rifle Association and open to all British Colonies and Protectorates was quite good, 1104 out of a possible 1200. Last year we put up 778 out of a possible 840.

DETROIT WANTS TO STAGE
LOUIS-SCHMELING FIGHTBut Mike Jacobs Is First To
Make Schmeling Sign The Line

New York, October 14.

Sportmen in Detroit, the home town of Joe Louis, are making a bid for the staging of the Louis-Mar Schmeling fight which is fully expected to take place.

Jacobs admitted that the bid was a good one and that he was going to Detroit to talk with the syndicate which has offered to erect a large arena. "First, however, I've got to sign Schmeling," he said.

150" to win. It looks very much like a Northern victory. Hong Kong allowed a great opportunity to slip through their fingers.

Detailed scores.

Hong Kong—1st Innings.
T. E. Pearce, c P. Mader, b Elliott 4
Elliott 4
R. C. Fincher, c H. Mader, b P. Mader 7
T. A. Pearce, c H. Mader, b P. Mader 4
Mader 4
A. H. Mader, lbw, b Leach 11
L. C. C. Garthwaite, c Booth, b P. Mader 59
A. W. Hayward, c Stokes, b P. Mader 28
Capt. D. W. Pearce, b Leach 2
G. R. M. Ricketts, b P. Mader 17
A. R. Minu, c H. Mader, b P. Mader 9
G. S. Dunkley, not out 0
F. D. Pereira, st. Kernani, b P. Mader 1
Extras (B. 9, N. B. 3) 12
Total 213

Fall of the wickets:—1 (T. E. Pearce) for 25; 3 (Mader) for 38; 4 (Fincher) for 151; 5 (Garthwaite) for 160; 6 (Pereira) for 163; 7 (Dunkley) for 190; 8 (Minu) for 208; 9 (Hayward) for 212; 10 (Pereira) for 212.

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.
Elliott 7 1 26 1
P. Mader 23 1 26 7
Stokes 8 1 28 0
Leach 23 13 43 2
Jenkins 7 1 23 0
Booth 1 0 5 0

Shanghai—1st Innings

R. P. Humphreys, b Pereira 2
L. F. Stokes, c Garthwaite, b T. A. Pearce 34
S. R. Kernani, c T. A. Pearce, b Minu 86
R. Booth, c Ricketts, b Minu 2
D. W. Leach, c Pearce, b Ricketts 17
P. Mader, b Pereira 13
J. H. B. Leckie, c Dunkley, b Minu 1
E. M. P. Williams, c Hayward, b Minu 1
H. Mader, not out 5
G. B. Elliott, b Pereira 4
J. C. Jenkins, c Ricketts, b T. A. Pearce 15
Extras (B. 5, L. B. 5, N. B. 5) 15
Total 156

Fall of wickets:—1 (Humphreys) for 13; 2 (Stokes) for 53; 3 (Booth) for 64; 4 (Leach) for 183; 5 (Mader) for 140; 6 (Leckie) for 145; 7 (Elliott) for 150; 8 (Williams) for 151; 9 (Kernani) for 180; 10 (Jenkins) for 180.

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.
Garthwaite 7 1 19 6
Pereira 17 4 42 3
Minu 20 4 48 4
Pearce 12 1 43 2
Ricketts 10 4 13 1

Shanghai—2nd Innings

T. E. Pearce, b Leach 26
R. C. Fincher, c Kernani, b Jenkins 10
Mins 10
T. A. Pearce, lbw, b Leach 11
A. H. Mader, c Booth, b Jenkins 4
L. C. C. Garthwaite, b Jenkins 2
A. W. Hayward, b Leach 2
Capt. D. W. Pearce, lbw, b Leach 0
G. R. M. Ricketts, b Jenkins 42
A. R. Minu, b Leach 4
Extras (B. 5, L. B. 5, N. B. 5) 15
Total 145

Fall of the wickets:—1 (Fincher) for 26; 2 (T. E. Pearce) for 48; 3 (T. A. Pearce) for 53; 4 (Garthwaite) for 56; 5 (Mader) for 63; 6 (Pearce) for 64; 7 (Hayward) for 67; 8 (Minu) for 77; 9 (Dunkley) for 100; 10 (Ricketts) for 145.

The Inter-Port Trophy was first fired for in 1889 and Shanghai were the first winners with a score of 819 as against Singapore's 777 and Hong Kong's 774.

The Earlier Years

In these earlier years Hong Kong were on top and won the trophy 11 times up to 1907. Singapore were also quite successful up to 1914, the last time they won, and have held the trophy on ten occasions. During the last eight years Shanghai have not been beaten, though Singapore challenged her very closely in 1931, losing by 14 points, in 1933, losing by three points, and last year, losing by eleven points.

There were no contest during the years 1915-22 inclusive so that this year's competition was the forty-seventh of its kind.

The Record Scores

One of the closest matches in the history of the series was in 1914, when Singapore and Shanghai tied with a score of 942. Singapore took the trophy owing to the fact that they had the better score at 600 yards. A similar tie is recorded in 1904 between Singapore and Hong Kong. Again Singapore were successful being one point the better at 600 yards.

Singapore's Records

The record team score and record individual score both stand to the credit of Singapore, who in 1910 put up the magnificent total of 968. It was in this same year that de Silva made the astounding score of 104, which is likely to stand as a record for all time.

Last year C. P. Edwards scored 103 getting possibles at 200 yards and 500 yards.

Other big totals have been 965 by Shanghai last year, 962 by Shanghai in 1910, 965 by Hong Kong in 1910 and 965 by Singapore in 1909.

SHANGHAI HARDCOURT
TENNIS TIES

Shanghai, November 7.—Playing in top form, V. T. Wong defeated W. A. H. Duff yesterday by 6-2, 7-5, to enter the final of the men's singles in the Shanghai Hardcourt Championships being held at the Cercle Sportif Francaise, while Mrs. Moir and Mrs. Brugger Gate established themselves as finalists in the ladies' singles by emerging as victors from long hard-fought encounter with Mrs. Dvorjetz by 8-6, 4-6, 8-6, and Mrs. Collaco by 1-6, 7-5, 6-4.

PROPOSED RUGBY TOUR
OF ITALY ABANDONED

Capetown, October 18.—In view of the international situation the Italian tour planned for a team representing the South African College High School, Capetown, has been abandoned.

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Petrol From Coal

In opening the new coal hydrogenation-petrol plant at Billingham Mr. Ramsay MacDonald declared his belief that the revolution in power production marked by the establishment of those great works would have an effect comparable to that of the steam engine in launching British industry upon a new epoch. It was a bold prediction, but accomplished facts give it strong support. What has been done already at Billingham is a miracle of applied science, but the plant there is only a beginning from which great developments may confidently be expected. Other processes for the extraction of oil from coal are already in successful operation elsewhere. There is a practical certainty of further technical progress. We may reasonably hope that the way is opening to the restoration of the value of British coal deposits impaired through the displacement of coal by oil and petrol. The economic benefit would be enormous. Mr. MacDonald paid just tribute to the scientific genius, the vision and enterprise which have brought the hydrogenation process to commercial success at Billingham. There never has been a more impressive example of the co-operation of the Government with research and with industry.

There will probably be continuous technical improvement, but the soundness of the process in large units can now be taken as beyond doubt. The capacity of expansion in the industry must depend on the costs of production. Billingham has done much to increase employment. Nine thousand men had 18 months' work on its construction. It employs directly and indirectly 2,000. The 600,000 tons of coal which it will consume in a year will mean employment for 2,000 miners. We may confidently look forward to the establishment of other similar works in other areas and the further development of processes. The production of oil from coal is now likely to prove a most effective means of relieving the distressed areas. There is no need to point out the benefit of such a change to the whole nation, but an assured supply of oil and petrol from the very soil of Britain would be of more than economic value. It would much increase her power of self-defence.

A World Airport

Britain has long been one of the chief centres of the world's lines of communication. In the new age of air transport central position is likely to be of still greater importance. There is a strong probability that Southampton will become the principal flying boat port for European, Empire and Atlantic services, and the future of Empire air transport is inevitably with the flying boat. For land aeroplanes cannot give an efficient service to the far scattered British Dominions and Colonies. At the end of next year the Imperial Airways fleet of 15 large flying boats should be at work carrying all first-class mail to Australia and New Zealand. They will have a range of 1,500 miles, but the American types, the Martin and the Sikorsky, are credited with 3,000 and 4,000 respectively, and

STRATOSPHERE
ASCENTRECORD BROKEN
IN AMERICA

72,000 FEET REACHED

Rapid City, S. Dakota, Today.—After most minute preparations the world's largest balloon "Explorer II" ascended yesterday morning to make investigations in the stratosphere. The flight is jointly sponsored by the National Geographical Society and the United States Army Air Corps. The balloon has been awaiting perfect weather since October 1.

Later: The Explorer II is now 60,000 feet up. The pilot, Captain Albert W. Stephens, and Mr. Orville Anderson have wirelessly that the temperature outside is 76 degrees below zero.

72,000 FEET UP

Later: The Explorer II has reached 72,000 feet, breaking the official world's altitude record by over 10,000 feet.

Later: The Explorer II attained 70,000 feet, which was the goal of the expedition, and is now descending.

SAFE DESCENT

White Lake: "Explorer II" landed safely 230 miles from Rapid City. When 1,000 feet up the pilots climbed to the top of the gondola for the final stage of the descent. In addition to the ray recorder the explorers operated a spectograph and a stratoscope and took pictures of the earth from various altitudes.

The balloon was up for nearly eight hours. The upward climb took roughly 4 hours 25 minutes and the descent 3 hours 8 minutes. The average speed of the descent was 400 feet a minute.—Reuter.

CAPETOWN-LONDON
RECORDMRS. MOLLISON'S
TIME BETTERED

London, Yesterday.—Flying Officer David Llewellyn and Mrs. Jill Wyndham arrived at Hanworth Aerodrome at 3.35 p.m. yesterday afternoon, thus succeeding in making a new record for the flight from Capetown to London. The flight took 6 days 12 hours 40 minutes, which is 18 hours 45 minutes less than the previous fastest flight by Mrs. Mollison in December 1932.—British Wireless Service.

Father Thomas Cooney, who has just returned to the Colony from Europe, replaces Father G. Byrne as Superior of the Jesuits in Hong Kong. Father Cooney read a brilliant engineering course, finishing up with a Westinghouse Scholarship.

flying boats of Sikorsky design are now being built in England. Already, therefore, the Atlantic flight from Southampton is not beyond the hopes of enterprise. It used to be said that England owed much of her greatness to her place on the sea routes of mankind. The conquest of the air has not changed her fortune.

Many Inventions

In the beginning, we are told, man was "made upright"; but they have sought out many inventions. That doubt of the benign inspiration of inventions which Ecclesiastes hints has been in many minds of recent years. The latest miracles proclaimed are not wholly reassuring. First and second prizes for the cleverest inventions of the year went to an instrument which without pipes will make organ music in the smallest room, and to an apparatus for making sculpture from photographs. We cannot feel confidence that mankind is civilized enough to control these dread powers.

Of the third prize we have more hope. It was given to a perambulator which will turn corners, an accomplishment most necessary for a family man. Moreover, as celibacy and childless marriage are detested by the doleful excuse that a car comes cheaper than a perambulator, some good may be done by assimilating the "pram" to the car.

Here
There
and
Everywhere.

EMPIRE-CATTLE KING

A friend of the late Sir Sidney Kidman, the Australian Cattle King, said that he owned more cattle, sheep and horses than any man alive.

He had cattle "stations" in every State of Australia, and in times of drought had his vast herds moved from one piece of country to another, sometimes travelling them hundreds of miles without leaving his own land.

Except during the war, when he gave liberally to patriotic funds, Sir Sidney was rarely in the public eye. Until recently his name did not appear in the Australian "Who's Who."

In his earlier days Sir Sidney was a champion horseman and could handle cattle with the most skilful of his own employees.

He required a space of 4 in. by 2 in. in which to write his name.

BAIT FOR BUSMEN

When Sir Sidney first visited London he was short of hands on his stations, and he found them by the direct approach of saying to omnibus drivers, "Would you like a job in Australia?"

He chose bus drivers because of their knowledge of horses. Twenty-five of them went out to his stations, and all of them did well, one becoming a manager.

Your Daily Smile!

The M.P.'s sister called him up by long distance. "What have you been doing?" she demanded. "What do you mean?" "Don't try to fool me. I read the papers. Yesterday they said the Speaker didn't recognise you."

In Sea Terms

"Good morning, parson. Haven't seen you lately?" "No, captain. I've been busy. Only this morning I married three couples in fifteen minutes."

"Smart going, parson! That's twelve knots an hour!" "Fortunate."

An exiled monarch, being invited to a festivity, began chatting to another guest.

Soon the other man, a hotel proprietor, confessed that there was not much doing in his line of business at the moment.

"Nor in mine," said the former king. "And might I ask what is your line?"

"Oh, I keep the Crown and Sceptre," was the reply. "You're lucky," sighed the other. "I couldn't keep mine."

BRAINS INSTEAD OF
BRAWN
WOMEN SHOULD NEVER
PLAY GAMESUNIFORM-MINDEDNESS IS A
DISFIGURING DISEASE

(By Kate O'Brien)

THERE are so many reasons why women should never play games that it is difficult to know where to begin. However, not being a doctor, I will eschew the medical objections to female athleticism, of which I expect there are at least a million, and confine myself to my personal views, which are uncompromising. I think that games make people team-spirited, uniform-minded, and heavy on their feet. I think that they increase stupidity. I think that if they have as undoubtedly some of them have—an aesthetic value, that value is in direct association with the male body, and is destroyed when the female lines endeavour to express something which has been evolving for centuries in terms of masculinity.

(To this last statement I make an uncertain exception in favour of one game, of which more later.)

Playing For Your Side

The team spirit is an objectionable thing anyway—mean and pointless. I think it is very unfair to children to fool them in relation to life with the games analogy that you must play for your side and so on.

There should be no "sides" in life, but if there still are, the decently trained adult must be fit and ready to change his at any moment on the straight dictates of intelligence.

But the analogy is unpleasant; it suggests that the world is and should be an affair of cliques and clubs and badges, of "gentlemen" and "players." This is something to stamp out, and one way of reducing its hold on people would be to discourage girls at least from getting together in hefty elevens and fifteens, to injure and deform themselves in fatuous pursuit of a ball.

A Disease

Uniform-mindedness is, of course, a disease among zealous

players of games, and that certainly is a thing that this island has enough of and should now discourage. There is something in a great passion for Rugby, cricket, hockey, and so on which drains away individualism—that "dangerous" possession which alone can make life valuable to a human creature or make a human creature valuable to life.

It is distressing to see the female of the species, still trembling in the newness of her admission to potential individual significance—for her importance hitherto has only been functional and symbolic—being weakened already in that potentiality by making the same mistake as the nineteenth-century English male made for himself and his sons.

One Rule-Breaker

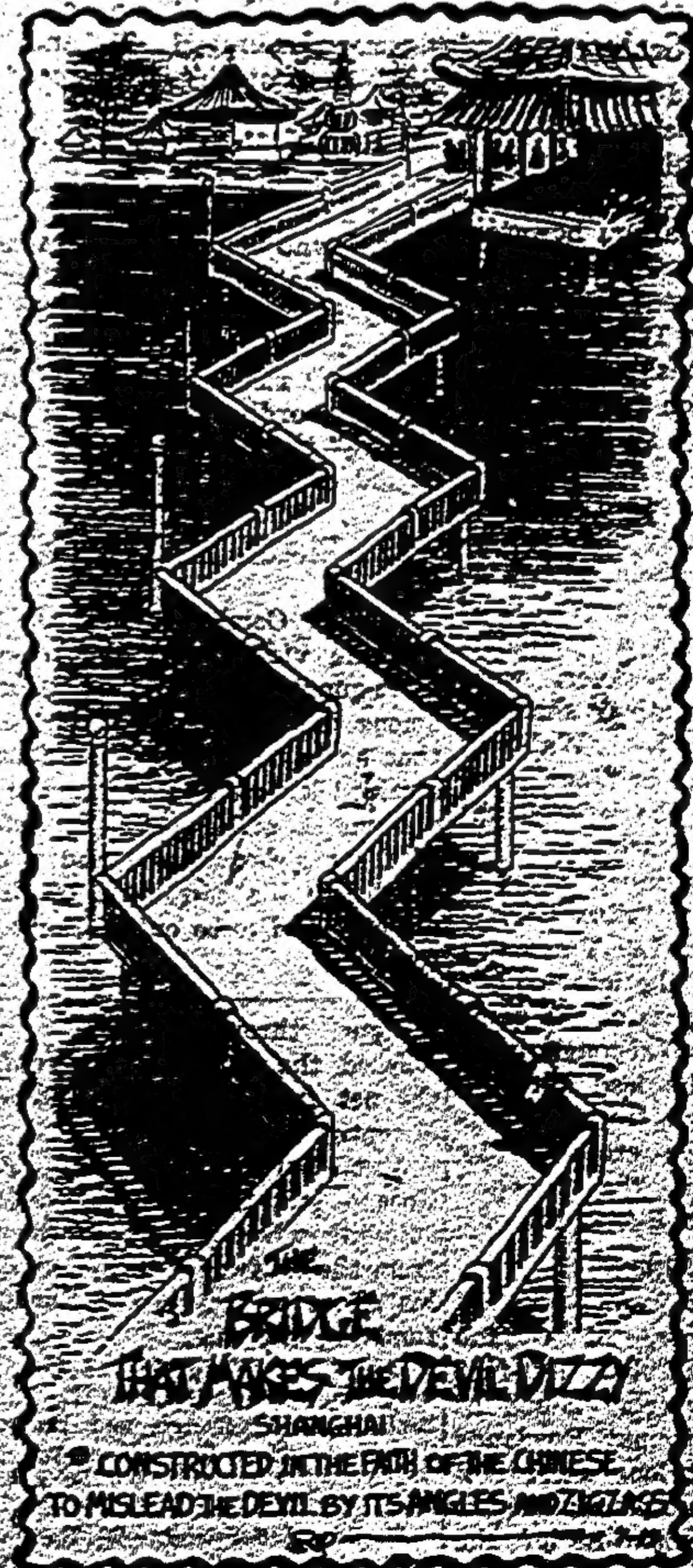
As for my accusation that games make people heavy on the feet, show me the Amazon who is not; and, if I may be frivolous, is her firm tread attractive? Of course not. There is only one woman living who can get away with heavy feet and still be marvellous, and her name is Greta Garbo. But she breaks any rule she cares to—and I suppose, any heart.

While we are on the subject of beauty, hard game-playing is not the way to feminine grace. If any young woman still fools herself that it is, let her look with a realist's eye at photographs of lady golfers, lady hockey players, lady footballers, lady cricketers, lady carmen—and see what she will see.

These active and formidable champions may have a million points of commendation, but willow you cannot call them. I can think at this moment of about five young women of my acquaintance who could be said to have really good, graceful, young-looking figures. Well, the one point in common between four of these young women is that not one of them

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



THE DOLLAR SIGN
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ON THE PILLS OF HERCULES
WHICH HE OBTAINED WITH
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TO MIMIC THE DEMON BY ITS ANGLES AND TURNS

DEFENCES ALONG RAILWAY LINE STRENGTHENED

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On the Somali front the cleaning-up action north of Gorahai is still progressing, the Italian troops in small motor-cars following up the course of the Fafan River. Two more caravans with a quantity of rifles, ammunition and food have been captured.

RETIRING TO HARRAR

The Italian headquarters at Asmara reports that at Ogaden the whole Italian front is in movement. General Frusci and Colonel Maletti's columns advanced with armoured cars from Salsabaneh to Dagabur. Another Italian army is situated on the right wing not far from British Somaliland and is also advancing. The Abyssinian forces are retiring in the direction of Harrar.

RED CROSS AID

Djibouti: The Swedish Red Cross Mission, with five complete motorised outfits, arrived here yesterday, destined for the Abyssinian north and south fronts.

MAKALLE TAKEN OVER

Asmara: General de Bono's entry into Makalle on Sunday night took the form of a triumphal march. The General entered the town surrounded by a company of picked troops of the first army corps.

The Governor, Ras Gussa, received General de Bono in the market, welcoming the conqueror in the name of the country. Ras Gussa declared aloud that Makalle from now onwards was an Italian town and must remain so.

After General de Bono's answer the Italians and Ras Gussa proceeded to the Roman Catholic Cathedral, where a thanksgiving service was held.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Italian Strategy Outlined

POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS

Asmara: In view of the recent successes attained by the northern and southern armies, Italian headquarters here appear to be supremely confident that the junction between the army operating from Eritrea and the forces advancing from Somaliland is now only a question of time, although the realisation of this aim may be delayed by the special political precautionary measures necessary in view of the proximity of the British and French frontiers.

The next objective of the southern army, following the successful capture of the town of Sasabaneh on the Jorir River, a good 100 miles north of Gorahai, which is reported to have occurred on Sunday, is expected to be Jijiga, the conquest of which, it is believed, will be quickly followed by the taking of Harrar and Dire-dawa, which would give the Italians control over the Addis Ababa-Djibouti railway line.

The Negus, it is pointed out here, is evidently trying to avoid an open battle before the military and political effects of the sanctions make themselves felt. The Abyssinians, however, it is said, if willing to offer battle at all, will be forced to fight on two fronts simultaneously.

Although the Italians expected that the Abyssinian army was being concentrated at Amba Alata, where defensive positions had been prepared, reconnoitring fights by Italian planes showed that none of the Abyssinian forces had been massed there.

FRANCE AS MEDIATOR

Paris: The services rendered to Italy by France are stressed by the newspaper *Le Jour*, which points out that if England has renounced the idea of closing the Suez Canal this may be solely attributed to the French Government's mediation in London, and that it is furthermore due to France's efforts in Geneva that the automatic application of sanctions has been avoided.

The paper proceeds strongly to criticise the hostile attitude adopted by the Italian press towards France, which it declares to be contrary to the notions of justice and fairplay.

The well-known political writer St. Brice, discussing in *Le Jour* the possibility of direct Franco-German conversations, criticises French Left-wing circles, which are seeking to frustrate such per-



The world's noisiest city may become the quietest if New York's noise abatement committee succeeds in its campaign. Above is the poster asking "Quiet Please." No tooting of motor horns after 11 p.m. is one objective.

JAPANESE BLACK SHIRTS FOR ABYSSINIA

Ready Prepared With Motto For Italian Troops

Cairo. — Astonishing rumours are in circulation here concerning the dispute between Italy and Abyssinia.

The latest report is that Japan is sending large quantities of black shirts to Eritrea for the use of the Italian troops.

The shirts are said to be printed at only 10¢ each and are inscribed with the words: "A Noi Abyssinia" ("Abyssinia For Us").—Reuter.

SUN YAT SEN UNIVERSITY

Celebrations Of Anniversary

Canton, To-day.

The National Sun Yat-sen University yesterday celebrated its 11th anniversary since its establishment as an educational institution in Canton.

The newly constructed Engineering and Law Departments were thrown open to the inspection of visitors in the morning. An opening ceremony was held at 10 a.m. under the chairmanship of the Dean, Mr. Siao Kuan Ying, representing the Chancellor, Mr. Chou Lou, who is now in Nanking to attend the Fifth Plenary Session of the Kuomintang.

All heads of departments were present at this impressive ceremony. The members of the distinguished faculty present were Mr. Fan Kee, Mr. Ho Inn Jun, Mr. Chang Yuen Fun, Mr. Deng Jit Yee, and Mr. Lan Ju-Ha. Last but not least, Mr. Yeung Hee Jit of the South-west Political Congress, was the guest of honour on this occasion.—Union News.

HILLSIDE FIRES IN CANTON

Volunteer Corps To Be Organised

Canton, To-day.

A Volunteer Fire-fighters Corps will soon be organised under the guidance of the Director of the Provincial Public Welfare Department, who has placed an order for several emergency fire-engines and fire-extinguishing implements, with a local foreign import firm. With the approaching winter, hillside fires will soon become daily occurrences.—Neutral News.

St. Brice asks ironically whether France has already become so weak that Paris cannot communicate with Berlin without previous authorisation from Moscow.

In any case, according to St. Brice, the question of Franco-German relations will have to be re-examined one day, if only the alternative solution, namely, the formation of a powerful European bloc, should prove impracticable.—Trans-Ocean Service.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The s.s. Takada left Singapore on Thursday last and is expected here at midnight to-night.

The Young Australia League party of girls returned from Japan yesterday by the President Pierce and are staying at the Peninsula Hotel.

The Government Radio Office notices that from November 13, and until further notice, the charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 1.10 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

At the Central Police Court this morning, Mr. W. Schofield fined Cheng Ki, aged 18, unemployed, \$20 for driving car No. 2807 in Ewo Street without a driver's licence, and another \$20 for driving the car without the owner's permission.

The sum of \$505.50 was collected at the Hong Kong Singers' Recital which was held at St. John's Cathedral last night. The proceeds will be devoted to St. Dunstan's Home and the Society for the Protection of Children.

Mr. E. G. Glenn, connected with Messrs. Anderson Meyer & Co., who is travelling from Manila to Shanghai, arrived in the Colony by the s.s. President Grant this morning. Travelling on the same steamer, to Seattle, is Mrs. Irene Tipp, wife of Mr. Tipp of the Luzon Stevedoring Company.

Amongst the passengers who arrived in the Colony this morning from Manila by the s.s. President Grant, was the Rev. James J. Chapman, accompanied by his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Ackerman, accompanied by their son Robert, passed through the Colony on the s.s. President Pierce to-day. They are en route to Manila to attend the inauguration ceremonies next Friday. Mr. Ackerman is Dean of the School of Journalism at Columbia University, New York City.

Mr. James H. Lee, president of the Commercial Bank of China and a very prominent figure in Shanghai business circles, passed through the Colony on the s.s. President Pierce to-day. He is returning to Shanghai after spending several months in America. Travelling with him is Mrs. Lee.

Mrs. Alice Tong Sze, wife of the Chinese Ambassador to the United States, accompanied by her son Deson, passed through the Colony on the s.s. President Pierce to-day. She is on her way home for a short holiday.

Lam Chuen, aged 26, unemployed, was this morning sentenced by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistrate's to six months' hard labour and to 20 strokes of the birch, and if unable to perform the two months' hard labour, for the theft of a metal snail from the child of Chan Tai married woman, at Stone Mullah Lane yesterday.

To-day's Short Story

Ridiculous Mas

By Doreen Wallace

AT Waking two old men got into the compartment. Both were countrymen, rosy-faced and heavy-booted; both were dressed in the best clothes of the countryman—dark suits, rusty black overcoats and bowler hats.

The smaller one had white hair and moustache and swimming nose. He seemed to be in the care of the larger one, who helped him in and patted him down into a corner with gestures of husbandly solicitude.

For some time they sat silent, while the small man stared out of the window and sighed. Then, at long hesitating intervals, the big-

ger man began to make conversational remarks about the weather and the number of stops on the journey, to which the little white-headed fellow replied yes and no uninterestedly.

The young woman in the opposite corner, who had caught her train with no time to spare for the purchase of reading-matter, and who anticipated a boring journey in consequence, directed her mind to her two companions. They were unexciting, but better than the landscape in the early stages of the route.

What was the parcel which the little man held so firmly and squarely on his knees, she wondered. It had a domed top, but was too small for a birdcage, surely. For mile after mile he held it there, both hands keeping it steady. His attitude was stiff, and must be uncomfortable. The parcel was very thoroughly done up in brown paper and string, so there was no prospect of satisfaction for her idle curiosity.

She contemplated the men themselves. Farmers, she thought, going home after visiting relations; nothing but an open-air life could have given them such lovely complexion in old age. They were brothers, beyond a doubt, and the small one was the older. Both had knotty, cracked hands. Most certainly they were farmers.

Cost \$4,510 To Recommission Sea Belle II

An Expensive Ship

The decision to re-commission the Straits Government yacht Sea Belle II, which was used for the recent visit to Borneo by H. E. the Governor, Sir Shenton Thomas, cost \$4,510, according to supplementary estimates laid before the Legislative Council.

This sum was made up of \$1,540 wages for the officers and crew, \$2,750 for additional fuel, stores, water and so on, and \$220 for a survey by Lloyd's Surveyor.

The Sea Belle II had been laid up since Sept. 1, 1933, and during that time the only provision made in the estimates was \$1,000 for maintenance.

She was chartered, some months ago, by the tobacco heiress, Miss Doris Duke, and her husband for a tour of the Far East.

ROOSEVELT PLEA FOR WORLD PEACE

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"Except for the few who place selfish gains above the national and world peace, the overwhelming mass of American citizens are heartily in accord with the basic policies of our Government and are also entirely sympathetic to the efforts of other nations to end the war."

CONFIDENCE WAXING

"That is why we have consistently striven to approve the steps to remove the causes of war and have disapproved of the steps of others to commit acts of aggression. We have sought by a definite Act and solemn commitments to establish the United States as a good neighbour. We are acting to simplify the definitions of facts by calling war 'war' when an armed invasion with killing occurs."

"With disappointment and sorrow we confess that the world's gain has hitherto been small. The dangers that confront the rupture of mankind as a whole are greater to us than the dangers confronting the people of the United States alone. International jealousies continue, armaments increase, peace-disturbing national ambitions obtrude."

"Most serious of all, international confidence in the sacredness of international contracts is waning. While we cannot build walls around ourselves and hide our heads in the sand, we must go forward with all our strength and strive for international peace."

Mr. Thompson, who is travelling on the s.s. President Pierce to Manila to attend the inauguration ceremonies next Friday, is the foreign political writer for the *San Francisco Chronicle*.

After a holiday in Japan, Mr. Leopoldo Aguinaldo, a very prominent Filipino in political circles, accompanied by Mrs. Aguinaldo, is returning to the Philippines on the s.s. President Pierce.

Captain Foley R. E. was this morning fined \$10 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistrate's for driving his car N. 8896 on November 2, in that part of Bowen Road, near the Military Hospital, which is closed to traffic.

HONG KONG MARKET PRODUCE

APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES

	Nov. 12, 1935	Nov. 10, 1935		Nov. 12, 1935	Nov. 10, 1935
	Cd. Cd.	Cd. Cd.		Cd. Cd.	Cd. Cd.
POULTRY.			BUTCHER MEAT.		
Chicken	lb. 40	30	Beef Sirloin	lb. 30	24
Capons, Small	45	35	Prime Cut	30	23
Large	48	38	Corned	35	23
Duck	24	22	Roast	30	24
Doves	each 24	22	Breast	24	20
Eggs, Hen (cook- ing)	per doz. 30	18	Soup	25	20
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	32	25	Steak	30	24
Fowl, Hainan	lb. 38	35	Steak Sirloin	45	30
Canton	54	41	Sausages	36	28
Geese	28	23	Bullock's Brains	per set 17	10
Pigeons, Canton	each 40	30	Tongue, fresh	each 70	50
Halbaw	30	20	Head, corned	150	60
Turkeys, Cock	54	41	Ham, Salt	each 24	20
Hen	48	35	Feet	12	10
Salpe	each 18	15	Kidneys	12	10
Pheasant	pair 150	120	Tail	25	20
Quail	each 15	12	Liver	24	18
Partridge	65	10	Tripe	80	6
FRUITS.			Calves' Head & Feet	set 180	160
Almonds	lb. 35	30	Mutton Chop	lb. 44	36
Lemons, China	10	8	Leg	44	36
Bananas (Orde's)	5	4	Shoulder	40	28
Carambola	12	10	Saddle	44	36
Cocoanuts	each 10	10	Brains	per set 10	10
Apples (California)	lb. 24	20	Pig's Chittlings	24	22
Lemons, American	each 3	10	Feet	12	15
Lichees, Dried	lb. 120	25	Pey	24	15
Oranges (Canton)	none	12	Head	13	29
Oranges (Sweet)	none	12	Kidneys	12	10
Pears (Canton)	none	12	Liver	36	30
Oranges (American)	each 10	10	Pork Chop	22	25
Persimmons, Large	12	12	Lion	30	20
Pineapples, Large	each 12	12	Leg	26	20
Walnuts	lb. 18	15	Fat or Lard	18	21
Grapes	30	20	Sheep's Head & Feet	per set 90	60
VEGETABLES, ETC.			Head	each 12	8
Artichokes	lb. 8	5	Kidneys	15	10
Beans, Sprout	4	4	Liver	45	30
Long	12	10	FISH.		
Beetroot	8	5	Salmon	lb. 45	35
Brinjals, Green	6	5	Suet, Beef	30	20
Red	6	5	Suet, Beef	33	24
Cabbage, Chinese	16	12	Mutton	36	28
(Shanghai)	none	12	Veal	40	20
Caulliflower (Large)	each 30	20	Sausages	28	10
(Medium)	20	15	No. 1	32	10
(Small)	15	10	Radish	lb. 28	16
Carrots	lb. 5	5	Bream	18	24
Celery, Chinese	16	10	Canton Fresh	18	10
Chillies, Dried	25	20	Water Fish	18	10
Red	18	16	Codfish	26	15
Green	10	8	Crabs	40	65
Curry Stuff, English	10	8	Cuttle Fish	18	65
Cucumbers	6	5	Dace	32	10
Garlic	10	6	Frog	44	28
Ginger, Young	12	7	Eels Conger	40	10
Old	10	20	Eels Fresh Water	54	10
Horseradish, Shd	40	8	Eels Yellow	24	16
Indian Corn	each 10	8	Garoupa	46	85
Lettuce	lb. 6	1	Gudgoun	16	40
Okra	12	8	Herrings	18	32
Onions, Bombay	8	4	Halibut	32	13
Green	6	4	Loabster	42	68
Shanghai	4	4	Mackerel	24	62
Parley	150	60	Mullet	24	18
Potato, sweet	4	8	Oysters	24	12
Japanese	4	8	Pench	16	30
American	8	3	Pike	34	16
Pumpkin	4	4	Plaice	36	38
Radish	lb. 6	4	Pomfret, White	32	32
Panburi (Fresh)	4	4	Pomfret, Black	24	38
Turnips, Punt	4	4	Prawns	44	10
(Long)	7	15	Roach	24	36
Watercress	5	5	Salmun	40	36
Vegetable Marrow	5	5	Shark	14	36
Water Lily Root	5	5	Skate	14	10
Spinach	lb. 8	2	Shrimps	20	33
Tomatoes	12	4	Tench	24	12
Mushrooms	38	10	Turtles	64	68
			Small Fresh water	35	12
			Sole		

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TROOPING THE COLOUR

LINCOLNS' COLOURFUL CEREMONY

250TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

A BRILLIANT spectacle, favoured by very fine weather, took place on the Polo ground this morning when the ceremony of Trooping the Colour by the 1st Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the raising of the Regiment (June 20, 1685), was held before a distinguished gathering including His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Major General F. S. Thackeray, and Mrs. Thackeray, Lady Southorn and party, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg (1/Lincolns), and officers representing every unit in Hong Kong.

The occasion was marked by the attendance of Major-General C. R. Simpson, C.B., Colonel of the Lincolnshire Regiment, who was the Reviewing Officer, and who presented the Battalion with new silver drums last Friday to mark this special occasion. Lieut. Colonel J. A. A. Griffin, D.S.O., was in command of the Parade, with the Adjutant, Lieut. J. E. T. Pim.

Among the senior officers attending were Col. A. B. Hearle, D.S.O., R.A., Col. E. St. G. Kirke, D.S.O., R.E., Col. J. H. Morris, D.S.O., O.B.E., Lt. Col. A. C. Marsh (East Lancashire Regiment), Lt. Col. R. E. Hindson (Royal Welch Fusiliers) and others.

The ceremony comprised four Guards. They were: No. 1 Guard: Major H. St. G. Thoyts, M.C., Lieut. G. C. Wilson, Lieut. J. G. M. B. Gough (Officer carrying the Colour), C.S.M. J. R. Green, C/Serg. W. S. Penton, Sergt. A. Harper, Sergt. E. Malpas, Sergt. F. Steans, L/Serg. F. Smedley and 64 other ranks. No. 2 Guard: Capt. B. L. de Brissay, Lieut. D. P. St. C. Boissier, C. S. M. J. W. Booth, C/Serg. J. Reeks, Sergt. C. Harris, Sergt. W. Haywood and 64 other ranks. No. 3 Guard: Capt. C. Pennack, Lieut. E. D. S. Powell, C.S.M. G. A. Martin, C/Serg. E. Potter, Sergt. F. Blow, L/Serg. F. Smith and 64 other ranks. No. 4 Guard: Capt. C. T. Ingle, Lieut. A. Wall, C.S.M. E. O. Kime, C/Serg. F. W. Wright, Sergt. E. Vickers, Sergt. H. Whittaker and 64 other ranks.

Others on parade were Regimental Sergeant Major P. H. Segon, Bandmaster R. W. Griffith, A.R.C.M., and Drum Major P. Tancred. Officers on duty were Lieuts K. E. Cotter, R. B. Williams, D. R. Wilson, D. A. O'Connor, P. G. Wormell, D. J. Russell, N. P. Darnay, G. H. King, C.S.M. A. F. Day, Sergt. F. Coleman, Sergt. E. Farlin, Sergt. G. Betts, Sergt. J. Waudby, Sergt. C. Taylor and L/Sergt. P. R. Gibson.

Ceremony Commences
Promptly at about 10.30 a.m., the four Guards, without their officers, marched on the parade ground preceded by the Band and Drums, to the tune of "The Little Bugler." The Regimental Colour, in the keeping of a sergeant and two selected privates, came in on the left of the line. Except in this ceremony, Colours are not carried by anyone below the rank of commissioned officers. The significance of this and the absence of the warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men were so trusted that the presence of officers, other than the Adjutant, was unnecessary.

The guards were then formed into line and dressed by the Adjutant. The warrant and non-commissioned officers were moved to the front to the strains of "England's Pride" and assembled with the officers on the saluting base.

The Drums then beat, the Assembly, which was the signal for officers to fall in on parade. The Adjutant, Lieut. J. E. T. Pim, then handed over the parade to the Commanding Officer, Lieut. Col. J. A. A. Griffin, D.S.O. All the officers, except the Adjutant and warrant and non-commissioned officers then "recovered" their arms and slow-marched to their guards.

Ceremony Proper
The Band and Drums then commenced the ceremony proper by giving their formal salute to the Colour in a slow march, the Band playing the "Duchess of Kent" being played from right to left, and a quick march, "The Royal Windsor," from left to right.

The right guard or the "Escort for the Colour," under the command of Major H. St. G. Thoyts, M.C., moved out and halted opposite the Colour to the martial strains of "The British Grenadiers."

Then took place the most impressive part of the ceremony, Regimental Sergeant Major P. H. Segon, as representative of the Warrant Officers, non-commissioned officers and men, took the Colour from the Sergeant and handed it over to the Lieutenant of the Colour, Lieut. J. G. M. B. Gough, who received it with full honours. When the escort presented arms the sergeants on the flanks turned outwards and "ported" their arms, thus protecting the escort.

Stirring Incident
The Escort, which then became "Escort to the Colour," moved back to its original position in the line by filing through the ranks of the guards who presented arms. Every man had thus the opportunity of seeing the Colour carried past him and of paying it honour. This was one of the most stirring incidents of the ceremony.

The Guards, with the Colour carried by Lieut. Gough, then marched past the saluting base at which point Major-General Simpson, C.M., took the salute, mounted on a brown charger. The Guards marched past in slow and quick time in close column, and thus displayed to the spectators the symbol which they held in such high esteem.

Major-General Simpson then handed over to Lieut. Col. Griffin a message from His Majesty the King which read: "The King heartily thanks all ranks of the Lincolnshire Regiment for their loyal greetings and congratulates them on the Anniversary they are celebrating."

The Last Act
The last act of the ceremony occurred when the Battalion presented arms to the reviewing officer, Major-General C. R. Simpson, C.B., following which the Colour was marched away to its place of lodgement under the care of the four guards.

The whole ceremony was perfectly executed and presented a colourful scene, the breeze and bright sunshine adding to its success.

Among the many present were Indian officers from the Hong Kong Singapore Brigade, Royal Artillery, and the 1/8th Punjab Regiment, and the Mule Corps.

SERVICES WHIST DRIVE
Y.M.C.A. Function Popular
Despite numerous other counter attractions last night, an attendance of 80 people at the Services Whist Drive in the Y.M.C.A. West Lounge proved the popularity of these functions. The following were the prize-winners:

Ladies: 1st, Mrs. McCluskey; 2nd, Mrs. Calman, Lowest Number, Mrs. Chambers.
Gents: 1st, Mr. C. Littler; 2nd, A. N. Other; Lowest Number, Mr. Tebb.
A knock-out whist drive completed the evening's play.

The Hong Kong Post Office notifies that Christmas and New Year cards bearing not more than five written words and enclosed in open envelopes are accepted by the Post Office at the rate for printed matter, i.e. 4 cents per 2 ounces. Envelopes must not be closed.



The Shanghai Interport Cricket eleven. Standing 1 to 11: L. J. P. Williams (umpire), E. C. Baker (manager), E. M. P. Williams, E. P. Humphreys, L. F. Stokes, J. H. B. Leckie, J. C. Jenkins, H. Madar. Seated 1 to 11: R. Booth, P. Madar, D. W. Leach (captain), S. R. Kermani and G. B. Elliott. ("China Mail" photo.)

FORGED \$50 BANKNOTE

Supreme Court Case Opens

"PARTICULARLY CLEVER" IMITATION

Before His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, in the Supreme Court this morning, Tam Sui-hong stood charged upon an indictment of uttering a forged banknote, purporting to be a \$50 bill of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

Mr. E. H. Williams, the Assistant Attorney-General, represented the Crown, while Mr. Leo D'Almada, jun., instructed by Mr. P. P. Botelho, appeared for the defendant, who pleaded "not guilty" to the charge. The following jury was empanelled to try the case: Messrs. I. Jack (Foreman), G. T. May, Loong Tsun-ying, F. J. Sulzbach, Tsai Wing-kai, G. Watson and L. S. Castro.

In placing the facts of the case before the jury, Mr. Williams said that the note had been passed on October 10 this year when the defendant had called on a widow named Wong Sim-pun, and made enquiries regarding some property she had to rent. She required a rent of \$40 for the premises in question, but after some bargaining \$37 was finally agreed upon.

Deposit Offered
The accused offered to make a deposit of \$10, although the widow had not at that time demanded any deposit. He produced a \$50 bill, and following the custom she usually adopted when dealing with money of such denomination, the widow asked him to sign his name on the back. He wrote the letters W. K. C. in English characters, and when asked his name he said it was Wong Ming.

The defendant stated that he would send somebody to clean the house he had decided to take the following day, while two days after that he would take up residence.

The widow had some bills to pay at the Treasury and attempted to meet them with the \$50 she had received from the defendant and it was then that she learned that it was a forgery.

On October 13 her son saw the defendant near the Sincere Co. and caused him to be arrested.

Clever Imitation
Before Mr. Pinna, of the Chartered Bank, was called, Mr. D'Almada stated that the defence was not challenging that the note was a forgery. Giving evidence Mr. Pinna stated that the forgery was particularly clever and it would be difficult for the layman to detect it.

Ho Nam, the police constable who had effected the arrest of the accused, stated that the widow's son, Chan Pak-kwan, had told him to arrest the defendant but he did not know for what reason he had done so.

The case is proceeding.

RETURNED DEPORTEES SENTENCED

The following sentences were passed on six men who were charged with breach of the deportation order at the Criminal Sessions in the Supreme Court this morning: Ng Ting, two years hard labour; Tang Kan, two and a half years hard labour; Wong Hin, four years hard labour; Wong Hin, two years hard labour; Lai Wan, two and a half years hard labour.

FORGED NOTE CHARGE

Case Being Heard Against Woman

Another case of uttering a forged bank-note was heard before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in the Summary Court this morning. Wong San-mun, a Chinese woman, was charged with uttering a forged \$10 Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China banknote on October 24.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, the Assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared on behalf of the Crown, while the defendant was not legally represented.

The following jury was empanelled: Messrs. A. Brostedt, C. L. Rocha, E. Joffe, Ip Ching-shu, T. M. L. Redmond, Pang Yuh-shuen and L. Gardner.

In order to negative any allegation of chance or accident in the indictment Mr. Lockhart-Smith said that the defendant had uttered another forged note, a few days prior to committing the act for which she now stands charged.

Incidents Described
The first incident for which she was not indicted, had occurred in a leather shop in Mercer Street, when defendant had entered and made a purchase valued at \$11.0, and passed a forged banknote in payment for the goods. Later she went through the same procedure at a brass dealer's shop, but before the transaction was completed the owner of the leather shop sighted her and informed the brass dealer of the forged note. A policeman was called and the woman arrested.

The case is proceeding.

NO FOOD SHORTAGE IN GERMANY

Production Schemes In Operation

PEASANTS' CONGRESS OPENS

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL
The third great German Peasants' Congress opened here yesterday to discuss all national questions connected with the home production of the food supply.

The Congress will last until November 17, the first three days being occupied with committee work, to which the public is not admitted. The remainder of the time will be devoted to discussions, at which the agrarian programmes for the coming year will be proclaimed and a pronouncement made on the main questions now before the nation.

Yesterday State Councillor Meinberg delivered a speech on the main principles followed in the control of production and distribution, declaring that the allegation that the Government was planning the rationing of food was untrue. The prevailing shortage of fat meat arose mainly from the great increase in consumption caused by the success of the anti-unemployment campaign, which substantially increased the demands from 5,000,000 people formerly out of work and now earning again.

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CENOTAPH CEREMONY IN LONDON

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London, To-day.
The neighbourhood of the Cenotaph and Westminster Abbey had been thronged with crowds from early afternoon, and late yesterday evening the procession of relatives of those who fell in the Great War, bringing wreaths and flowers, still moved down Whitehall past the memorial.

A very large crowd assembled at the Cenotaph for the ceremony of the Two Minutes' Silence, which was observed throughout the country and the Empire. His Majesty the King's wreath was laid by H.R.H. the Duke of York, and Her Majesty the Queen and the Duchess of York were present on the balcony of the Home Office.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales represented the King at the ceremony at the Stone of Remembrance at Edinburgh, and afterwards attended the service in St. Giles' Cathedral.

OBSERVANCES ABROAD
Typical of the solemn celebration of Remembrance Day in every part of the Empire and by British residents in foreign countries were the ceremony at the Cross of Sacrifice at Gibraltar, at which the Governor-General, Sir Charles Harrington, was supported by detachments from the Army, Navy and Air Force, and the ceremonial observances of the Silence before the British Legation at Addis Ababa, while the troops forming the Legation Guard were drawn up.

Many of those who visited the Cenotaph in Whitehall moved on to Westminster Abbey to file past the grave of the Unknown Warrior. Some 3,000 poppy sellers had been at work all day all over the country collecting funds for the British Legion.

KING NOT PRESENT
In view of the weather conditions it was not considered advisable for His Majesty the King to attend the Armistice Day ceremony at the Cenotaph yesterday morning, and his place was taken by H.R.H. the Duke of York. His Majesty, accompanied by the Queen, left later by train from King's Cross en route for Sandringham. — British Wireless Service.

FRENCH CEREMONIES
Paris: The Armistice Day public holiday was celebrated solemnly throughout France yesterday, memorial services being held everywhere at the graves of those who fell in the World War. The greatest of these memorial services was held at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier beneath the Arc de Triomphe, where MM. Lebrun, Laval and the entire Cabinet and representatives of the diplomatic corps, the civil services, the defence forces, the war veterans' federations and tens of thousands of spectators assembled.

At 11 o'clock a gun was fired as a signal for the one minute's silence in memory of the dead. Then began a march past of troops under General Gouraud, the military governor of Paris.

NUMBER OF INCIDENTS
War flags were lowered before the Unknown Soldier's grave, which during the rest of the day was visited by tens of thousands of people and delegations from hundreds of societies.

ARMISTICE DAY IN SHANGHAI

Ceremony At The Cenotaph

Shanghai, To-day.
The 17th anniversary of the signing of the Armistice which ended the World War was commemorated here yesterday at 8.45 a.m. by the laying of a wreath at the Cenotaph on the bund by the United Services Association. Brigadier-General E. E. Macneil, President of the Association, delivered a brief speech at the ceremony, which was followed by a service held at the Cathedral attended by a large gathering of local foreign residents.

A concert was also given at the Lyceum Theatre by the United Services Association in commemoration of the occasion. — Central News Agency.

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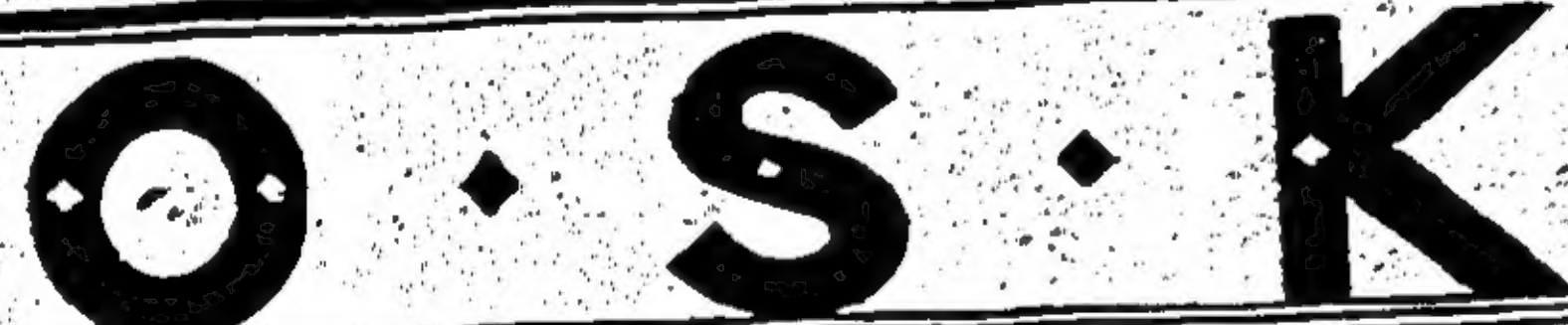
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RIDICULOUS MUS

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and say "sorry" before the sun
would come out again. She was
determined that on this occasion
she would not adopt her customary
role of penitent.

The cause of the quarrel, a
trifle of domestic neglect, had been
her fault: the immense fuss he
had made about it was his. "I
would have been sorry if he hadn't
gone to such lengths," she said,
"but now my small offence is
swamped in his huge unpleasant-
ness. It's for him to do the
coming-round this time. And if
doesn't? Well, I'm independent,
and he can just get another wo-
man to bully."

Her mind, behind the closed
eyes, began to make plans for a
life apart from him; ran over the
items of furniture and linen that
were hers; enough, she estimated,
to make a country cottage habit-
able. She would live nearer Lon-
don, and keep a small car and see
her friends. She was lucky to
have an income of her own and no
children yet.

It would be fun to be on one's
own again, wouldn't it? To be
candid, nothing in the world look-
ed very much like fun at this
moment.

Interesting to see whether he
would come on to the platform to
meet her or would wait sullenly
outside the station in his car. He
was too self-satisfied to guess that
she'd been in two minds about
coming back at all. If he was
still angry, she would tell him;
good for him to have a jolt. But
it would not be strictly true. To
leave him just for a quarrel would
be to stir up a storm in a tea-cup.
One had to preserve one's sense
of proportion, though the weary
spirit cried, "How long?"

If opportunity should arise for
her to "have it out" with him—a
major operation—the two of
them might then decide that life
together had become intolerable;
meanwhile she was going back.
And she could not forecast the
outcome; it all depended upon
whether he met her at the train or
stalked outside the station in the
car.

Depressed by the obscurity of
the future, a makeshift at best,
she opened her eyes and con-tem-

BRAINS INSTEAD OF BRAUN

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ever has either time or inclina-
tion to chase a ball across any
kind of field.

Word For Tennis

The fifth does play golf some-
times, for air and relaxation
after hard physical work, but
would just as soon walk through
woods or over the hills did not
the community she lives in ex-
pect the "team spirit" from her.
Anyway she certainly does not
owe her good figure to spasmo-
dic golf-playing, but much more
probably to the strenuousness
of her day's work.

In my dislike of games for
girls, I pause uncertainly over
tennis. It does not seem to
have all the disadvantages of
other pursuits—team-spirit,
heavy-footedness, and so on.
And certainly as played at
Wimbledon now it seems to have
become, and very gloriously, a
woman's game.

Perhaps we must let tennis
by; it is graceful, it does not
exact flat feet, it is adaptable
to the female shape. But even
so, its feminine champions weep
publicly when they are beaten,
or they issue medical bulletins.

Gave Brains A Chance

There is something in the
female nervous system, some-
thing in our make-up which
defies the principles of athletic-
ism. And a very good thing
too. For games-playing is a
pointless business.

Let young women keep fit by
walking properly—that is, any-
how, a necessary ability—even
by swimming moderately, since
that, too, is useful. Let them
get sensibly, work hard, and
have the courage to be indivi-
dual in their leisure. To think
of "stand back and be quiet"
to "stand back and be quiet"
to "stand back and be quiet"

Let them, for Heaven's sake,
show their disfiguring muscles
in sports and give their brains
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ties so often dwell upon the
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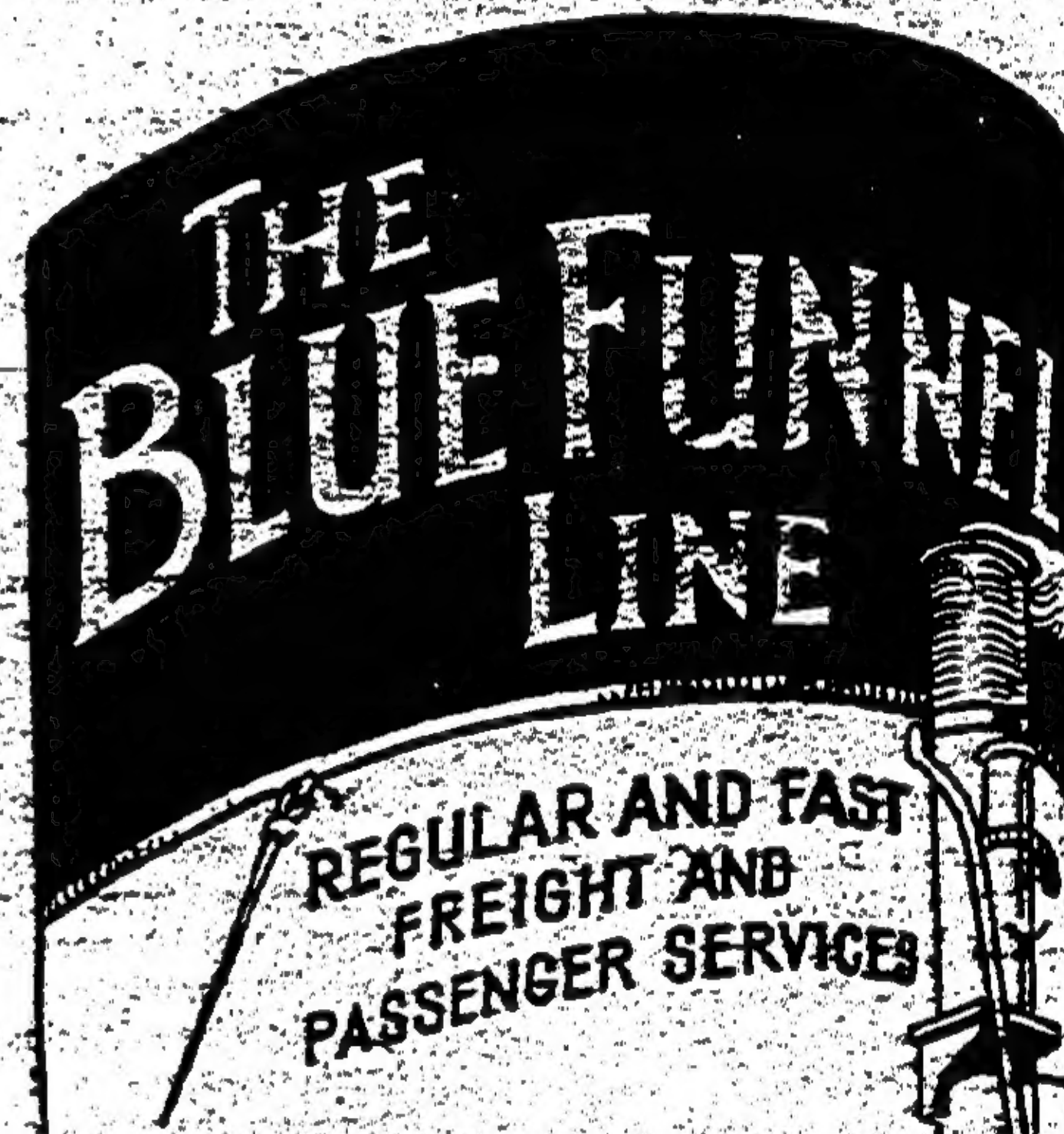
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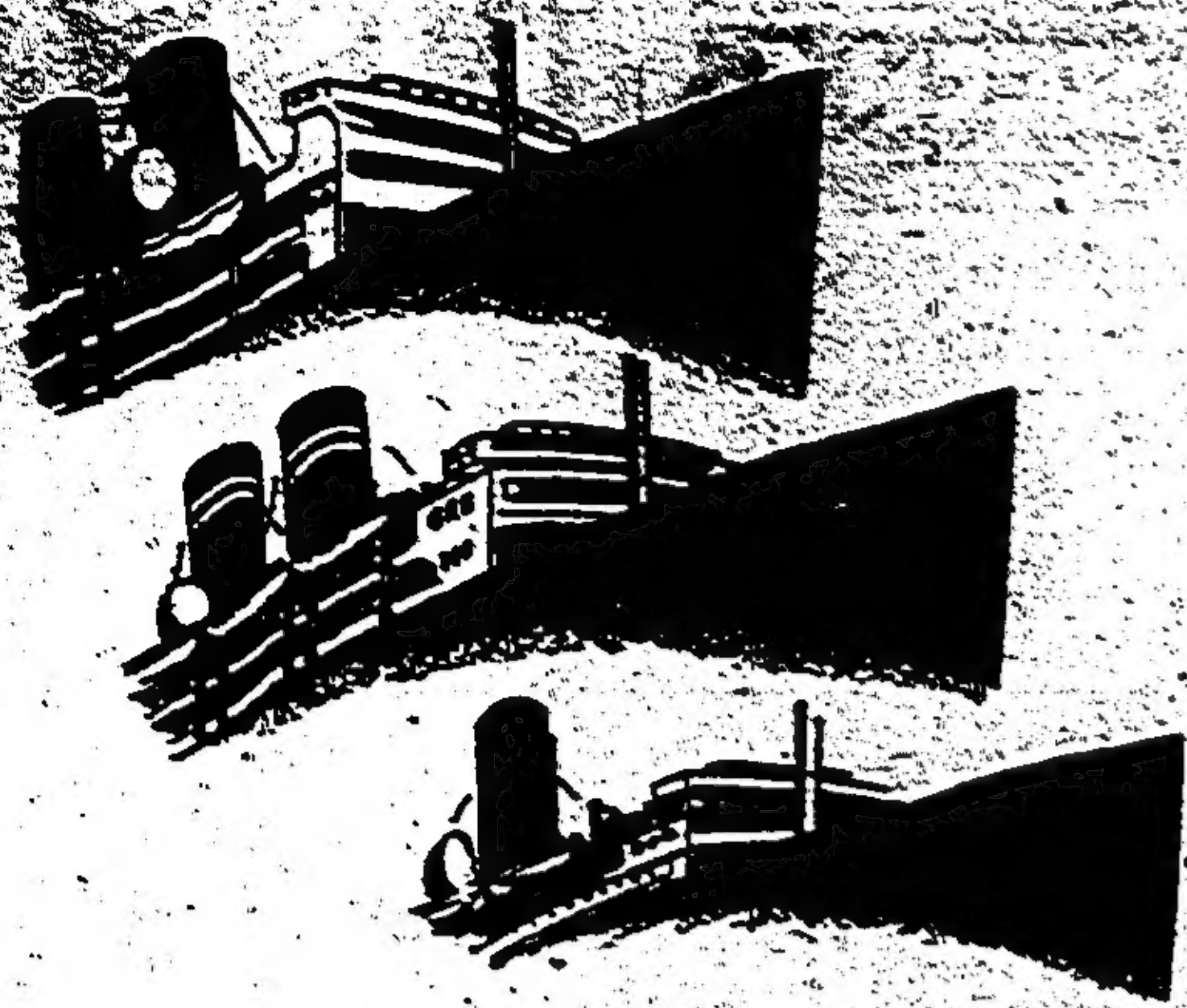
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At 10 o'clock in the morning of the seventh day Batavia is reached, where the K.N.I.M. takes charge of the connection with Semarang and Sourabaya. On the westbound journey travellers from these towns find immediate connection at Batavia with the home-bound K.L.M. plane.

Meal Arrangements

In the direction Batavia-Amsterdam the nights are spent at Medan, Rangoon, Jodhpur, Baghdad and Athens.

During both journeys a three-day meal and breakfast are taken at the hotels, and the second breakfast and tea at the restaurants at the respective airports along the route. Tea and other refreshments can also be had on board of the planes.

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

New Passenger Craft
For Night Flying

London, To-day.
As a result of the continuous growth of the Imperial Airways' services the Company has under construction or on order 29 flying boats and 12 land planes.

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LONDON TRAMS TO DISAPPEAR

Trolley-Bus Taking
Their Place

London, To-day.
The London Passenger Transport Board's plans for the gradual substitution of trolley-buses for trams in its area is being carried a step further by a proposal to apply to Parliament for powers to erect overhead wires along part of the routes in Central London where an underground rail has been used to supply current to trams—British Wireless Service.

CARS COLLIDE IN WARDLEY ST.

Man Found Injured
Afterwards

At about 7.30 last night, as a private car, No. 4248, driven by Sher Mohamed, along Des Voeux Road in an easterly direction, was turning into Wardley Street, it came into collision with a public car No. 425, driven by Hang Yick-ching, which was coming in the opposite direction and which also was turning into Wardley Street. Following the collision an unknown Chinese about 22 years of age was found lying on the ground bleeding profusely from the head. He was removed to the Government Civil Hospital, where it was discovered he was suffering from a fractured skull, and his condition is serious.



LATE MR. E. JONES LAID TO REST

Ceremony Yesterday At
Happy Valley

MANY TRIBUTES

The funeral of the late Mr. Edward Jones, who died at the War Memorial Nursing Home on Sunday evening following an operation, took place at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday afternoon. The Rev. H. W. Baines officiated at the graveside.

Among those present were Mr. K. E. Greig, manager of the Tai Koo Dockyard and Engineering Company, Mr. C. C. Knight, manager of Butterfield and Swire, and Messrs. W. Adams, D. B. Bone, W. Buchanan, W. Brown, L. R. Billingham, G. T. Bird, J. C. Chalmers, Chu Fok-yin, J. Danby, B. E. Fielder, J. Finnie, G. Gerard, T. Grimes, J. H. R. Hance, S. Hope, A. E. Herdman, R. C. Harley, A. C. Hutchison, H. W. Ireland, F. James, D. L. Lyte, Lo How-i, A. McArthur, A. Macindoe, J. McCormack, M. Matheson, A. B. Moir, G. R. Oliver, R. W. Oswald, E. R. H. Philip, J. C. Polson, D. Peoples, J. F. Robinson, Dr. L. T. Ride, G. H. Stuart, A. Stalker, C. H. Summers, A. M. Scott, Tsang Fook, J. Watson, R. C. Wallace, L. A. Whipples, H. B. Williamson, A. Wood, and others.

The Wreaths

Among the wreaths received was one from deceased's widow "Dot," and Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson-Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. Buchanan, Margery Bowes-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bird, Mr. and Miss Boulton, Mr. L. A. Calcraft, J. G. Cotesworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chassels, Y. Ah Chinn, Dorothy and Ken Digby, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Fielder, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rough Fullerton, Miss Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Finnie, Mr. and Mrs. G. Gerard, Tess Graham-Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Knight, Lo Low-i, Lan Ping-wai, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle, Miss Lyle, Fred Mason, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moir, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. L. T. Ride, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker, Mrs. and Mrs. R. M. M. Stephen, Mrs. C. F. Strand, Tam Yum-ehnen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thayer, Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Thirwell, A. Wood, Miss W. Whimster, Butterfield and Swire, the Hong Kong Singers, the President and Council Members of the Helena May Institute, Tsang Fook Piano Company, the European and Chinese staffs of the Tai Koo Dockyard and Engineering Company, and others.

PENINSULA HOTEL

Dance In Honour Of
Australian Girls

The dance which will be held this evening in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel is the first function of the season to be held at the Peninsula. It is in honour of the Australian girl visitors, and is being held under the auspices of the Australian and New Zealand Association. Those who are taking parties are requested to arrange with the management of the hotel for table reservations, which must be made before 4 p.m. on day. Tickets, which cost 5/- each, are obtainable from Mr. A. W. Ingram, or members of the Committee of the Association.

CONCERT AT THE CATHEDRAL

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RARE MUSICAL TREAT

St. John's Cathedral was filled to overflowing last night when the Hong Kong Singers rendered Elgar's "For the Fallen" and Brahms' "Requiem" as a special Armistice Day programme of music.

These magnificent works were rendered with a precision and understanding which was an immense credit to all concerned. The solo parts were sung by Mrs. J. Anderson Miller (Soprano) and the Rev. Cyril Brown (Baritone), while Mr. J. Anderson Miller, L.R.A.M., conducted, and Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford, F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M., accompanied on the organ. Special congratulations are due to Mrs. Anderson Miller for her lovely rendering of the "Ye who now sorrow" solo from the "Requiem" in which her purity of tone and delicate phrasing were especially evident.

Bishop Hall offered prayers and a blessing during the concert and a collection was taken on behalf of St. Dunstan's and the Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children. The evening provided a musical treat such as Hong Kong is not often vouchsafed, and those present last night were unanimous in their praise and appreciation.

THEY SHOUTED "HEL MOSCOW"

Berlin—Five Edersleben youths, after spending nine months in a concentration camp, have now been further punished with sentences of five weeks' imprisonment each for having called out "Hel Moscow" and sung the "Internationale" in public.

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Russian border patrols, such as the above, have recently engaged in several combats with Japanese forces along the banks of the Amur River, between Manchukuo and Siberia.

CHINA'S SILVER POLICY

Increased Smuggling Reported

SPECULATORS MAKE HAY

Tientsin, To-day. Taking advantage of the fresh situation arising from the announcement of the Government's silver decree, unscrupulous merchants and certain foreign nationals in Tangshan have redoubled their efforts to smuggle silver, as is evidenced by their extensive purchase of silver dollars during the past few days, a message from the mining towns along the Peimingsha states.

It is reported that not only has the value of silver and copper coins in the town risen considerably, but also the prices of commodities have reached high levels. The price of rice and other daily necessities has risen to about 50 per cent. more than their original prices.

The efforts of the local Chinese authorities to curb the activities of the selfish speculators have, however, met with no success, the report further states.

DISORGANISED MARKETS

Tsinan, To-day. As a direct result of the announcement of the Government policy for the nationalisation of silver on November 4, the monetary market here experienced slight disturbance on Sunday.

Coupled with the sudden rise in the value of copper coins in the city the prices of commodities have risen considerably. Owing to the tightening up of money circulation, many shops here have closed their doors.

All the commercial firms here have experienced some difficulty in carrying on their business, as the banks refuse to extend them credit loans. In view of the situation, the local Chamber of Commerce has requested the Departments of Finance and Reconstruction of the Shantung Government to accord credit loans to the commercial establishments, so as to relieve the market.

NOTES BEING WITHDRAWN

Chungking, To-day. No less than \$30,000,000 worth of banknotes issued by the native banks in Szechwan have been withdrawn from circulation by the Chungking Branch of the Central Bank of China.

It is learned that there is still more than \$1,000,000 worth of native banknotes now in circulation in the various districts of the Province which have not been redeemed by the Central Bank. These, however, are expected to be withdrawn within one month—Central News Agency.

SIR ALAN RAE SMITH'S APPOINTMENT

London, Yesterday. — Sir Alan Rae-Smith has been appointed Chairman of the Colonial Development Advisory Committee for a term of 3 years vice the late Sir Basil Blackett. Sir Alan Pim and Sir George Schuster have also been appointed members of the committee for a term of 3 years.—British Wireless Service.

WEATHER REPORT

The anticyclone has decreased in intensity and moved eastward. It is now centred over Manchuria. A deep depression is situated to the east of Hokkaido. The Pacific typhoon is about 220 miles to the east of Yap, moving west-northeast. Winds moderate. Cloudy, warmer, was the forecast for To-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

NAZIS SENTENCED IN VIENNA

Vienna, To-day. Of eleven persons called upon to answer in court an accusation of having hoisted the swastika flag in a church here on May 1, this year, two were sentenced, each to one and a half year's hard labour, and another six to one year's imprisonment. Six were acquitted.—Trans-Ocean Service.

UNLAWFUL ARRESTS BY JAPANESE

STRONG PROTEST LODGED

INTERNATIONAL LAW VIOLATED

Nanking, To-day. A strong protest against the recent unlawful arrest of Mr. Nien Kwang-yao, Committee member of the Tientsin Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Wang Yi-fan and other members of the Chinese Newspaper Censorship Bureau, Tientsin, and Mr. Li Ming, a sectional chief in the Social Bureau of the Tientsin Municipal Government, by Japanese gendarmes in Tientsin, was lodged by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on November 9 with Mr. Ariyoshi, the Japanese Ambassador, it was learned yesterday.

The note states that such arrests of Chinese officials and citizens in Chinese territory are grave violations of Chinese sovereignty as well as contrary to international law, and demands that appropriate measures should be immediately taken to stop any possible recurrence of similar incidents in future.—Central News Agency.

JAPAN AND THE SOUTH-WEST

Fukien To Be Base Of Activities?

Canton, To-day. Rumours of Japanese aggressive aims in the South-west have been current in the city for the past few days. The Governor of Formosa, it is said, has been appointed the sole authority of carrying out the Japan policy towards the South-west Government, and Fukien is to be the base of Japanese activities.

The Japanese economic hold on Fukien is to be strengthened by the completion of the Fukien-Formosa Air Service, and the Kwangsi authorities will be approached not to co-operate with the Central Government, so that arrangements may be made to establish a puppet monarchy in the South.—Neutral News.

INTERNATIONAL AID FOR CHINA

(Continued from Page 1)

It is pointed out that China has not reformed her currency at Britain's instigation nor with British help. Although tentative British, Japanese and American discussions occurred on the subject of an international loan to China, no definite proposals as regards the precise form of the loan had been proposed by Britain to Japan as a result of Sir Frederick Leith-Ross's visit to Nanking. It is therefore regarded in London as all the more surprising that Japan at this stage of the discussions should contemplate notifying Britain of her

EUGENICS IN GERMANY

State As Marriage Intermediary

HEALTHY PROGENY AIM

—CHINA MAIL—SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day. An interesting proposal for facilitating the finding of marriage partners suitable from a eugenic point of view is made in the periodical *Ziel und Weg*, the official organ of the native German medical practitioners' federation, the object being to assure healthy progeny for Germany's next generation.

The writer says that the Government's marriage loan plan is practical so far as the solution of the social problem is concerned, but that it is by no means sufficient.

Innumerable healthy young Germans have neither the opportunity nor the means to make the acquaintance of suitable partners, while a large number of young men are so shy of marriage that many young women eager and suitable for marriage are forced to remain single. The result is a resort to agencies which profess to find suitable partners, but are in many cases mere swindles.

Obviously, says the writer, the National-Socialist State must itself act as the intermediary to bring together young men and women hereditarily sound. Civil registrars must keep lists where young men and women can register their names free of cost, so that the pernicious influence of irresponsible agents may be eliminated.—Trans-Ocean Service.

FIFTH PLENARY SESSION

IMPORTANT TIME FOR CHINA

Ways And Means To Save The Nation

Canton, To-day. The Fifth National Kuomintang Congress will discuss ways and means of saving China to-day. All provinces are urgently requested to send representatives to this session.

Representatives from the Kuomintang of Canton and Kwangsi boarded the Junker and Hispano tri-motored plane for Nanking at 8.30 a.m. yesterday under the sponsorship of the Nanjing representatives and the Eurasia Aviation Corporation, who especially supplied the plane to take the following representatives to Nanking: Messrs. Lum Min Koi, Lui Che-mun, Wang Yuk-cho, Chun You-mun, Wang Lun-si, Wai Won-soong, Yeong Chung-kun, Wang Ho-hoon, Ong Yick-che, Ong Gee-moi, and Cheong Yuk-mun.—Union News.

WANG MAKING PROGRESS

Daily Bulletin To Be Issued

Nanking, To-day. President Wang Ching-wei's condition yesterday, as reported by the Central Hospital at 4 p.m., was as follows: Temperature 37.3; pulse 94; respiration 17. Progress was satisfactory. Beginning from to-day, there will be one bulletin issued daily regarding President Wang's condition.—Central News Agency.

definite refusal to participate in international loan to China—Reuter.

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